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PAYS TRIBUTE TO COMMISSION

Mr. H. Despard Twigg Has Returned From Vancouver Sitting Dealing With Pension Matters

REORGANIZATION OF SYSTEM NECESSARY

Weaknesses of Present Methods Brought to Light and Improvements Urged—Suggestions Summarized

HIGH tribute to the manner in which the Royal Commission received the various delegates and their testimony, in their sitting at Vancouver to investigate the many problems pertaining to the civil re-establishment of ex-service men, was paid yesterday by Mr. H. Despard Twigg, member of the Central Veterans' Committee, of British Columbia, who has returned from the Mainland.

Mr. Twigg's able advocacy of the cause of the men suffering from war disabilities has been highly commented upon by local returned men, whose cause he so graciously fought for. His ability was recognized by the commission and by the veterans' committee as exceedingly valuable.

Reorganization Needed

During the course of the Vancouver sitting the premier place was given to pension matters and the procedure in connection with treatment, pay and allowances and in betterment of pensions, stated Mr. Twigg. These were matters of immediate need, he added. Later the country would be forced to provide for the many classes of men who, while having no visible physical disability, were, nevertheless, suffering mentally and physically from war service, and whose ailments were increasing daily.

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REBEL AND MEN MAY BE ENTOMBED IN MINE

Entrance Was Blown Up by Free State Troops—Brisk Encounters in Several Parts of Ireland

LONDON, March 1.—The search by the Irish Free State troops for the rebel leader Bolin and his followers in the Argina mountains is continuing, says the Belfast correspondent of The Evening News, but it is possible the rebel commander may be entombed with several comrades in a coal mine, the entrance to which was blown up by their pursuers. If the men were in the mine at the time of the explosion, says the correspondent, it is believed they may have been suffocated.

Search Pedestrians

DUBLIN, March 1.—The military was active in holding up and searching pedestrians here today.

Brisk encounters are reported between Free State troops and Republicans in the counties of Tipperary, Cavan, Kerry and Waterford. To-night National forces brought an 18-pounder into action at Clonmel in repulsing heavy attacks.

Want Turkish Peace Before Britain Calls Men From Mesopotamia

LONDON, March 1.—Mesopotamia was the subject of a debate extending over several hours tonight, in which many speeches were made for and against evacuation. Hon. William Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, wound up the debate by declaring that so long as the Angora discussions were proceeding, the Premier deplored the suggestion that Great Britain evacuate Mesopotamia. Great Britain was pledged to stay there until the independent Arab state was a member of the League of Nations, and it was the object of the Government to complete the independence of the Arab state at the earliest possible moment.

"If we can get peace with Turkey and a good understanding between this country and all the Mohammedan countries," continued the Under-Secretary, "we can look forward to the peace and prosperity of Mesopotamia."

Free State and North to Make Agreement to Share Customs Revenue

DUBLIN, March 1.—President Cosgrave announced in the Dail last night that April next customs and excise revenues for the whole of Ireland would, under an arrangement with the British government, be divided between the Free State and Northern Ireland on a basis to be agreed upon between the British government and the Free State. The basis of division has not yet been determined.

An April 1, President Cosgrave said the duties on dutiable goods entering and the excise duties on dutiable goods produced in the Free State would be collected and retained by the Free State without question of allocation.

FIRE ABOARD LINER

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Six fire companies and one fire boat were required late today to extinguish flames aboard the United Fruit Company's passenger liner Abangarez here.

Leads Educationists

MR. JOSEPH GREY ELLIOT
of Kingston, president of the Ontario Educational Association, which meets in Toronto in Easter week, in conjunction with the National Council of Education. Mr. Elliot, who is a well-known newspaper man, is on the executive committees of both organizations.

LIBERAL WINS IN NORTH ESSEX FIGHT

ALBERT F. HEALY SUCCEEDS LATE HON. MR. KENNEDY

Fifteen Hundred Majority, Attributed Almost Entirely to Heavy Vote Polled in Rural Districts

WINDSOR, Ont., March 1.—After one of the hottest election contests in the history of the riding, Mr. Albert F. Healy, Liberal, was today elected to succeed the late Hon. W. C. Kennedy in the North Essex seat in the Federal House. Mr. Healy won over Lieut.-Col. C. Robinson, Conservative standard bearer, by a majority of approximately 1,500.

Mr. Healy's victory can be attributed almost entirely to the rural parts of the riding, where a surprisingly heavy vote was polled. These districts polled a vote almost equal to that polled in the general elections of 1921, when Hon. W. C. Kennedy won by a majority of more than 7,000.

Carried Two Municipalities

Col. Robinson carried both Windsor and Walkerville solid with a majority of approximately 1,500 in these two municipalities.

The smaller urban municipalities helped in Mr. Healy's victory. Sandwich and Ford City each gave him close to 500 majority. Riverside also went heavily for Mr. Healy, though only a small vote was polled.

At the start it was conceded that much hinged on the contest here, due to the small Government majority in the House, and prophecies were even made that a Conservative victory would precipitate a general election in the near future.

CLAIMED PICTURES STOPPED BLAZE

Reported Montreal Fire Began to Subside When Pictures From Convent Were Thrown Into Fire

MONTREAL, March 1.—What is claimed to be a supernatural twist was given to the fire-fighting efforts of firemen who fought a big fire in a garage in the east end of Montreal tonight, when a nun from a nearby convent brought two pictures of a saintly member of her community with the request that they be cast into the flames which threatened the whole neighborhood. A firemen accepted the offer, threw the pictures into the fire and it is claimed that the fire immediately began to subside. Several firemen were slightly injured, and 250 autos, besides the building, were destroyed. The damage amounts to $200,000.

Alleged "Red" Teaching In Sunday Schools of England Creates Alarm

LONDON, March 1.—Considerable interest and some anxiety over the alleged teaching of Communism and Socialism in the Sunday schools of this country, and the inculcating of "red" principles among the young people, are being manifested by a section of the public, headed by Sir John Butcher, Conservative member of the House of Commons for York.

Sir John intends shortly to introduce a bill in the Commons to secure legislation against the teaching of Communism and Socialism in the Sunday schools. This will be his second attempt along this line. He has just presented a petition praying for legislation against this "blasphemous teaching."

Communications on Economic Conference Are Still Proceeding

LONDON, March 1.—Communications between the Imperial Government and the governments of various Dominions with reference to the proposed holding of an Imperial Economic Conference are still proceeding, Premier Bonar Law stated in the House today, in answer to a question. He said he was not in a position to state the probable date of the conference nor the personnel thereof. He pointed out that the whole matter had been delayed by the recent elections.

In reply to a query as to whether the conference would discuss other questions than those bearing on economic matters, the Premier said he was communicating with the governments of the Dominions with reference to this.

New York Bandits Get $66,000 Haul in Gems

NEW YORK, March 1.—Three bandits tonight held up and bound two jewelers in a Delancey Street store, on the lower East Side, and escaped with $66,000 in gems.

HOUSE REFUSES BETTING MOTION

Proposal to Make Illegal Commercialized Race Track Gambling Lost at Ottawa by 96 Votes to 76

PARTIES DIVIDED IN VOTE ON RESOLUTION

Sir Lomer Gouin, Minister of Justice, Intimates Possibility of New Legislation on Horse Racing

OTTAWA, March 1.—The resolution moved in the House yesterday by Mr. W. C. Good, Progressive, Brant, to make illegal commercialized race track betting, was defeated in the House late tonight by a non-party vote of 96 to 76.

Cut Across Parties

The division came after two days of debate and cut across party lines, members of the cabinet itself differing in opinion.

Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, and Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, voted for the resolution.

Sir Lomer Gouin, Minister of Justice; Hon. D. D. McKenzie, Hon. H. S. Beland, Minister of Health; Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Interior; Hon. A. B. Copp and Hon. G. H. King, Minister of Public Works, voted against it.

All Liberals present but twelve, and, curiously enough, all Conservatives present but twelve, voted against the resolution. Progressives present voted for the resolution, with the exception of Angus McDonald, Temiskaming, who voted against it.

Racing News

During the debate Sir Lomer Gouin, Minister of Justice, intimated the possibility of new legislation on racing. The Attorney-General of Ontario, he declared, had recommended such amendments to the criminal code as would make illegal the publication of racing tips, selections, odds, winning money prizes, parimutuel payments or similar information except on the premises of a racing association while a meet is in progress, whether the race be held within or without Canada.

"I am prepared," added Sir Lomer, "after reading the proposed amendments to my colleagues that we should make a Government measure of the substance of the amendments which I have just read to the House."

Describing the Good resolution as another piece of "uplift legislation," Mr. Lucien Cannon, Liberal, Dorchester, said the Progressives, when it came to gambling on the wheat crop, were there with their money, and last year wanted Parliament to institute a wheat board, so that they could always win their bets and never lose.

SOUTH AFRICA SHUTS GATES TO ASIATICS

Insulted on Economic Grounds to Requirements of South African Union Is Given as Reason

CAPE TOWN, March 1.—The appellate division of the Supreme Court has delivered an important judgment on the question of Asiatic immigration into South Africa. By a majority of three to two the appellate judges have confirmed the notice issued by the Minister of the Interior in August, 1913, the effect of which was that, hereafter, all Asiatics become prohibited immigrants under the Immigrants Restriction Act.

Sir W. M. Solomon, who delivered the majority judgment on the question, stated that three of the five judges adhered to the view that Asiatics as a class were unsulted on economic grounds to the requirements of the South African Union. He said he did not think that the Minister of the Interior was actuated by racial motives when he issued the regulation in question.

The minority of the court held that the Minister's notice was beyond his legal power in the matter as the basis of classification in connection therewith was too wide.

Seeks to Abolish Old Law Holding Husband Is to Blame for Crime

LONDON, March 1.—Second reading was given in the House of Lords yesterday to the criminal justice bill which was drafted by the Lord Chancellor, and is designed to abolish the ancient legal presumption that when a wife commits a crime in presence of her husband she is acting under his coercion.

The Lord Chancellor said the doctrine of coercion had no relation to present day realities. Generally speaking, wives are free agents. Lord Buckmaster opposed the bill, and held that the measure had not been changed by granting the vote to women, and there was no reason to alter a legal presumption which had existed 1,100 years. The memorandum of the bill points out, incidentally, that no such presumption obtains in the laws of any of the Dominions.

Ex-Australian Premier Expelled by Labor Party

SYDNEY, N.S.W., March 1.—The executive of the Australian Labor Party has expelled James Dooley, the New South Wales labor leader and former Premier from the party as the outcome of an attack made by Dooley on the executive of the party.

Voted Six Million

HON. W. R. MOTHERWELL
Minister of Agriculture, who has had estimates totalling $6,088,500 passed in the Dominion House for his department, after lengthy discussion and criticism from the Opposition upon its bookkeeping methods.

MURDER MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

NO SATISFACTORY CLUE TO PERPETRATOR OF DEED

Police Unable to Decide Whether the Shooting of Lionel Lorenz Was Premeditated Attack

ERNEST LIONEL LORENZ

With half the city's detective force still working on the case, and more than a dozen clues already run to earth, the murder of Ernest Lionel Lorenz, 20-year-old bank clerk, was still a mystery last night.

Ever since the report of the shooting reached the police, the department has concentrated on a search for the mysterious assailant who shot the young man to death on Redfern Street shortly before midnight on Wednesday. Provincial police and the Mounted Police are expected to join in the hunt today. Downtown rooming houses and other places likely to be frequented by undesirable characters have been searched without yielding any trace of the fugitive.

An inquest will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the B.C. Funeral Chapel. Yesterday morning an autopsy was held on the body of the murder victim, and a 32 revolver bullet was recovered from the wound. Bruises on the face above the right eye and on the chin were found.

Were Quarreling

"They were quarreling about something evidently," Mr. Muckle told The Colonist last night. "I couldn't make out what they said, but it was clear to me that the conversation was anything but friendly. They were talking in loud voice, and it seemed to me as though both of them were talking at once sometimes. That must have gone on for about a minute. Then I heard the shot and after that the cry for help."

The fact that there was evidently a fairly prolonged altercation between Lorenz and the murderer is one of the things that puzzles the police most and leads to the suspicion that the man who killed the young bank clerk was not bent on robbery, but had some hidden motive—perhaps jealousy.

Those who were on most intimate terms with Lorenz, who knew him since boyhood and who have traveled with him, scout the theory of jealousy or revenge, and insist that the murder was the work of a stick-up man, or someone who was a complete stranger to Lorenz.

Had No Enemies

"Why, no one had anything against Lionel," one of his fellow-employees of the Royal Bank said last night. "He wasn't the sort of boy who would make enemies. You couldn't find a better type of young man anywhere. He was just a kid, and yet his family depended on him. His father died some time ago, and he was the sole support of his mother and sisters. He was a likeable lad. No one could have had anything serious against him."

Friends of Lorenz said he was just the sort of person who would show fight if confronted by a hold-up man, though. He was an athlete and had an exceptionally powerful physique. Those who know him best say that he would not have submitted to robbery without resistance. He had about seventeen dollars in his pockets when found. And there again is another mystery. If a hold-up man was after Lorenz, why did he leave his victim with money in his pockets? That is one of the questions that is bewildering detectives and which has added strength to the suspicion that the attack was inspired by some personal motive as yet unknown.

"There was a dispute. Both men talked—for about a minute, Muckle

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PRINCE PLEADS FOR CLOSE BOND

Must Eliminate Feeling of Remoteness From Friends Across the Sea, He Tells American University Union

IS GUEST OF HONOR AT DINNER IN LONDON

United States Feels Increasing Desire to Acquire Portion of Proprietorship in Prince, Says Ambassador Harvey

LONDON, March 1.—The Prince of Wales was the guest of honor tonight at a dinner of the American University Union, at which Ambassador Harvey was a speaker.

In responding to a toast to his health, proposed by the United States ambassador, His Royal Highness characterized the University Union as a war child, saying that any delay in its birth would have rendered the English-speaking races the poorer. He sympathized with the union's object to give young men the benefits of a university education and overseas experience. That had been in principle with his own education and he knew its worth.

Finest Education

"It is the finest education a man can have," exclaimed the Prince. "The men of this generation in your country and mine have got to learn to be men of the world in the true sense of the term.

"We have got to cure ourselves of any small feeling of remoteness from our fellowmen across the sea."

He wanted a "union to provide the world with a great land-locked harbor, as it were, in which international progress may ride forever in peace and security, no matter how stormy the weather may be outside."

He believed the graduates and undergraduates sent here would learn to love the universities and would not think too badly of the land which instituted them and "when they go home," he added, "I know they won't forget it."

Ambassador's Compliment

Ambassador Harvey said: "From the moment the Prince of Wales paid us a visit in the United States and crept so manfully into our respect and so boyishly into our hearts, we have felt an increasing desire to acquire some portion of proprietorship in him."

Mr. Harvey eschewed politics and devoted himself to drawing a felicitous parallel between the present Prince of Wales and the first chivalrous "Black Prince," born more than six hundred years ago, "when Americans, as they are sometimes now, were called savages and were quite outside the broadcasting area."

VERNON GROWERS ARE BEHIND SELLING PLAN

Eighty Per Cent Sign Contracts in New Co-operative Organization —Success Is Assured

VERNON, B.C., March 1.—Reports today form all parts of the Valley show that more than eighty per cent of the tonnage and growers have signed contracts in the new co-operation organization.

"We are assured that eighty per cent have signed the contracts," said Mr. J. J. Campbell, chairman of the committee, when discussing the campaign yesterday.

"We have reports from the Kootenays which also assure us of the enthusiastic support of the growers in that part of the Province, Mr. Hogg, of the committee, is there now assisting the local committees. We have sent away the incorporation papers and within a few days the co-operation organization will be officially gazetted. Then we shall be ready to proceed with the many important questions that now confront us," added Mr. Campbell. He stated further that the committee was now taking up the question of appointment of a general manager and that negotiations were being carried on with several men, but just when an announcement could be made he did not say.

One Hundred Years Old; Twenty-Three Birthdays

Leap Year Cheats Winnipeg Man Out of Seventy-Five Rightful Anniversaries

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Although he recalls only twenty-three birthdays, Mr. J. S. Stevenson, of Winnipeg, entered his hundredth year today, hale and hearty. Mr. Stevenson was born February 29, 1824, and has been cheated out of about seventy-five birthdays. He even skipped a leap year birthday, which was rightfully his, in 1900, when by some quirk of the calendar he was missed again. Mr. Stevenson came to Canada when he was nine years old and moved from Ontario to the Oak Lake district of Manitoba forty years ago, where he carried on farming operations.

TWO YEARS ON DRUG CHARGE

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Chin Kee Hoon, convicted by Judge Cayley today of having drugs in his possession, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

NEGOTIATE FOR TREATY

WARSAW, March 1.—Preliminary negotiations for a commercial treaty between Poland and Russia began in Moscow Monday.

Wants Participation

MR. CHARLES M. SCHWAB
U.S. steel magnate, who believes that an international commission of business men, with America participating, should settle Europe's tangled reparations problem.

GIVES NO HOPE FOR OLD AGE PENSIONS

No Favorable Decision Reached, Finance Minister Tells Winnipeg Labor Member

OTTAWA, March 1.—"No decision favorable to the movement has been reached," replied Hon. W. S. Fielding in the House today when questioned by Mr. J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg Centre, if the Government intended to bring down an old age pensions bill this session.

COLONEL M'GUGAN HEADS CANADIANS

OFFICIALS CHOSEN BY NATIVE SONS OF CANADA

Victoria Assembly Deplores Tragic Death of Lionel Lorenz—Urge West Coast Facilities

Colonel McGugan was last night elected president of Victoria Assembly No. 1, Native Sons of Canada, succeeding to that office Mr. J. O. Dunford. The other officials who will guide the destinies of the local branch of the organization during 1923 were named as follows: First vice-president, Mr. C. J. McDowell; second vice-president, Mr. R. A. Hunt; treasurer, Mr. R. D. Smith; secretary, Mr. L. P. Macrae; assistant secretary, Mr. R. C. Ferguson; chaplain, Rev. Thomas Menzies, M.P.P.; sergeant-at-arms, Mr. J. Curtis; inner guard, Mr. C. Watkins; outer guard, Mr. R. H. MacLeod; and historian, Mr. J. Walsh.

The new officials will be installed in office by the Grand Lodge officers, under Grand President William Ivel, at the next meeting of the Victoria Assembly, which will be held in the Sweeney-McConnell Building, Langley Street, on Thursday, March 15.

By a standing vote, the local assembly of the Native Sons of Canada last night extended condolence to the relatives of their late member, Lionel Lorenz, who was murdered on Wednesday night on Redfern Street, Oak Bay. Tribute was paid to the sterling character and honesty of Lionel, who was a prominent and popular member of the organization. He had taken an active part in the athletic side of the society, having performed creditably on its football and baseball teams.

The assembly went on record urging the great need of a directional wireless station on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, advocating the establishment of a wireless range finder, either to be operated from Gonzales Hill or Pachena Bay, and emphasizing the advantages which would accrue, and also the need for the trail from Bamfield to Clo-oose being opened at once.

The meeting decided to give a reception and welcome to Mr. Edward Johnson, the famous Canadian tenor, who will sing in Victoria on March 13.

URGES BETTER LIFE SAVING FACILITIES

Gyro Club Passes Resolution Re West Coast Conditions — Approves Federal Aid to Highways

The Gyro Club of Victoria, at its monthly meeting last night at the Y.M.C.A., under the presidency of Major H. Cuthbert Holmes, went on record as strongly urging the Dominion Government to instal a system of communication between Cape Beale lighthouse and the life-saving station at Bamfield, which would be effective irrespective of weather conditions, and decided to point out to the Federal Government the urgent need of a directional wireless station on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, the cost of erecting and operating the same would be more than compensated by the saving of life and material which would result.

The gathering approved the principle of Federal aid to highways, together with an extension of time to such provinces as will be unable to take full advantage of their appropriations within the time limit, and that British Columbia should receive at least one-ninth of any sum provided by Federal aid.

The club decided to extend its patronage to the testimonial concert which will be held in the near future for Mr. George J. Dyke, local concert manager. It was pointed out that Mr. Dyke had, at financial loss to himself, brought some of the world's famous artists to the city.

The date of the monthly business meetings of the Gyro Club was changed from the first Thursday in the month to the fourth Thursday.

The question of whether the club should hold theatre parties this season was raised, and passed on to the directors for them to act as they might see fit.

Messrs. Thomas N. Hibben, Jr., whose classification is stationery, and Sydney Sherratt, accountant, were elected to the club's membership.

GERMANY CANNOT PROMISE PEACE

Not Responsible If Severely Tried Population Is Led to Acts of Desperation, Says Formal Statement.

INTERMEDIARIES IN PARIS SEEK SOLUTION

None But Official Overtures Direct From German Government Will Be Entertained by France

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The German embassy, in a formal statement issued late today, declared that should the population in the Ruhr "already severely tried, let itself be led to acts of desperation, the German Government, owing to the paralyzation by the French of the German official appartus in the Ruhr, will not be in a position to guarantee the maintenance of peace and order in the occupied territory."

BERLIN, March 1.—A Coblenz dispatch to Vassische Zeitung reports that the Ehrenbreitstein railroad station has been occupied by colored troops, thus severing the last remaining train connection between Cologne and Ehrenbreitstein.

Complaints and Plans

PARIS, March 1.—None but official overtures will be acceptable in connection with an arrangement for settlement of the Ruhr and reparations questions, it was asserted in French official circles today. It was pointed out that there had been a new descent upon Paris of unofficial intermediaries from financial and industrial quarters and various international centres, including New York, each with various complaints and plans for settlement.

When the German Government was ready to make officially and through the regular diplomatic channels an offer of payment to the Allies, France, as one of the Allies, would listen to such offer, it was affirmed. No heed would be given to pleas presented otherwise.

Meanwhile, it was added, if the Ruhr industrialists wished to drop the political aspect of the situation and seek to do business in a purely business way, provision for such a contingency had been made.

INTRODUCES BILL TO AMEND RAILWAY ACT

Progressive Would Eliminate Qualifications Under Which Discrimination in Rates Is Permitted

OTTAWA, March 1.—A bill to amend the Railway Act in regard to local discriminations was introduced in the House of Commons today by Mr. D. M. Kennedy, Progressive, Edmonton West.

Section 314 of the act deals with rates and prohibits discrimination only under certain qualified circumstances. Mr. Kennedy proposes to strike out those two qualifications, which are under substantially similar circumstances and conditions and passing over the same line or road.

Another section contains the provision regarding shipping facilities for grain from the Western Provinces to Lake Superior and the East.

Mr. Kennedy proposes to make the same law applicable also to shipments to the Pacific Coast.

The bill was given first reading.

Cannot Offer Bill to Subsidize Agriculture British Minister Says

LONDON, March 1.—Sir Robert A. Sanders, Minister of Agriculture, writing to the Farmers' Union, said:

"I should only be holding out false hopes if I led the farmers to believe that there is at present a chance of my introducing in the House of Commons a measure to subsidize agriculture or any chance of the Commons adopting the policy of placing duties on imported foodstuffs."

Furthermore, the Minister said:

"We are pressing forward a bill to provide for credit facilities, and we hope also it may be possible to give some assistance in the matter of local taxation."

A commission to inquire into agriculture with a view to the improvement of the present unsatisfactory agricultural situation in the United Kingdom has been appointed by the Government.

Kamloops-Kelowna Line To Be Completed If the Funds Are Forthcoming

VERNON, B.C., March 1.—The Vernon News today published the following special dispatch from Ottawa:

"Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railway Board, has given a definite assurance to Mr. J. A. MacKelvie, M.P., that the completion of the Kamloops-Kelowna line has been decided upon by the board, and that it will be one of the first pieces of construction work to be undertaken among the various branches in Canada under consideration.

"This is contingent, of course, said Sir Henry, [illegible] provided by [illegible] expenses [illegible]

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INCREASE IN BRITISH SETTLERS FOR CANADA

OTTAWA, March 1.—Immigration from the British Isles has lately been showing considerable increase when compared with the corresponding periods of last year. At the same time, immigration from the United States has decreased.

British immigrants in January totalled 1,057; in January, 1922, they were 467. Immigration from the United States was 642 last month and 1,003 in January last year. Immigration from all countries for the ten months ended January 31 was 82,489, against 82,266 for the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year, or a decrease of 24 per cent.

DISCOURAGEMENT FOR PRAYER BRIDE CLERIC

Canadian Immigration Department Refuses His Offer to Bring One Hundred Families to Alberta

EAST ORANGE, N. J., March 1.—Rev. George B. Lawson, who attained prominence several months ago by his experiences with two "prayer brides," the first of whom jilted him and the second of whom was married to him, is not welcome in Canada as a leader of a semi-religious community. After he had made all arrangements to take one hundred families to Alberta, he received a letter from the Canadian Department of Immigration and Colonization, signed by F. C. Blair, which read:

"During the last two or three decades we have had a number of proposals somewhat similar to your own, and they have not succeeded. The Department does not favor community settlement, whether the tie that binds a community together is race or religious. I regret under the circumstances no encouragement can be offered to your enterprise."

VANCOUVER GETS LABOR CONVENTION

OTTAWA, March 1.—It is officially announced this afternoon that the 1923 convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada will open on September 10 in Vancouver.

"My Heart Would Palpitate, I Had Weak Spells"

Mrs. L. Whiting, 202 King St. West, Brockville, Ont., writes:—

"I took very sick with my nerves and stomach, and seemed to be all run down. At times my heart would flutter and palpitate so and I would take such weak spells in the pit of my stomach that I sometimes thought I would never get better. I had almost given up hope when a friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I did not stop until I had taken twenty-five boxes. It has done wonders for me and I want to recommend it to everyone."

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Naval History of the Great War

HOW BRITAIN'S SHORES WERE SAVED

By The Right Hon. Winston Churchill

XVI.—The First Great Task Completed

Coming to the entrance of Turkey into the war, Mr. Churchill looks back over our previous relations with Turkey, and describes the doubts which existed as to the intention of Turkey and the hopes that were vainly entertained of keeping her out of the war.

Not till long after did we learn the blasting secret, which would have destroyed all doubts. Already in the crisis of July the leaders of the Young Turk party were in vital negotiation with the Germans, and on August 3 the German admiralty telegraphed to Admiral Souchon, on board the Goeben, than an alliance had been signed with Turkey, and that he was to proceed at once to Constantinople. Thus all this time we were deceived.

After describing the Turkish attack upon Russia in the Black Sea and the consequent allied ultimatum, he proceeds:—

Russia declared war on Turkey at the expiry of the ultimatum; and the British and foreign ambassadors, in company with their Russian colleague, left Constantinople on November 1—the same day on which at the other end of the world the battle of Coronel was being fought. Naval orders to commence hostilities were sent, in concert with the foreign office, in conformity with the expiry of the ultimatum.

Admiralty to all ships
October 31, 1914.

Commence hostilities at once against Turkey. Acknowledge.

On November 1 two of our destroyers entering the Gulf of Smyrna, destroyed a large armed Turkish yacht, which was lying by the jetty carrying mines; and late that same day Admiral Carden was instructed to bombard the outer Dardanelles forts at long range on the earliest suitable occasion. This bombardment was carried out on the morning of November 3. The two British battle-cruisers, firing from a range beyond that of the Turkish guns, shelled the batteries on the European side at Seddul, Bahr and Cape Helles. The French battleships fired at the Asiatic batteries at Kum Kali. About eighty rounds were fired altogether, resulting in considerable damage to the Turkish forts and in several hundred casualties to the Turks and Germans, who manned them.

Outside the Dardanelles

The reasons for this demonstration have been greatly canvassed. They were simple though not important. A British squadron had for months been waiting outside the Dardanelles. War had been declared with Turkey. It was natural that fire should be opened upon the enemy as it would be on the fronts of hostile armies. It was necessary to know accurately the effective ranges of the Turkish guns and the conditions under which the entrance to the blockaded port could be approached. It has been stated that this bombardment was an imprudent act, as it was bound to put the Turks on their guard and lead them to strengthen their defences at the Dardanelles. At the Admiralty we did not think it would have this effect: nor were we wrong. When, three and a half months later (February 18, 1915), Admiral Cardon again bombarded these same forts, the Gallipoli Peninsula was totally unprepared for defence, and was still weakly occupied; and small parties of marines were able to make their way unopposed into the shattered forts and a considerable distance beyond them. That no harm was done can therefore be plainly proved. On the other hand valuable data was obtained.

We are now to provide against the impending Turkish attack upon Egypt.

I scraped the oceans for every available ship. Admiral Fiersе and the Swiftsure reached Suez early in November and in the next few days his squadron entered the canal for the defence of Egypt. The Turkish attack proved, however, to be only of a tentative character. Finding themselves confronted with troops and ships, they withdrew into the eastern deserts, after feeble efforts, to gather further strength. Towards the end of November it was found possible to allow the Wessex Territorial division, which had been temporarily stopped in Egypt to meet the emergency, to proceed on its journey to India.

All this time the great Australasian convoy, carrying the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps, "A. N. Z. A. C.," had been steaming steadily towards France across the Pacific and Indian oceans. Preparations had been made if necessary to divert them to Cape Town. But before the convoy reached Colombo General Botha and General Smuts had suppressed the rebellion in South Africa. The Australians and New Zealanders, therefore, continued their voyage to Europe with little escort, since the oceans were now clear. By the middle of November their transports were entering the canal. As the Turkish invasion of Egypt was still threatening, the need of resolute and trustworthy troops in Egypt was great, and at the end of November Lord Kitchener, in the fateful unfolding of events, disembarked the whole Australian and New Zealand force at Suez for the double purpose of completing their training and defending the line of the canal.

At this point we may leave the Turkish situation for a time. The German grip on Turkey was strengthening every day. The distresses of her peoples and the improvement of her military organization were advancing together. Under the guns of the Goeben and Breslau, doubt, division, and scarcity dwelt in Constantinople. Outside the straits the British squadron maintained its silent watch. Greece, perplexed at the attitude of Britain, distracted by the quarrels of Venizelos and King Constantine, had fallen far from the high resolve of August. Serbia stoutly contended with the Austrian armies. Roumania and Bulgaria brooded on the past and watched each other with intent regard. In Egypt the training of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps perfected itself week by week.

World Drama

Thus, as this act in the stupendous world drama comes to its close, we see already the scene being set and the actors assembling for the next. From the uttermost ends of the earth ships and soldiers were approaching or gathering in the eastern Mediterranean in fulfilment of a destiny as yet not understood by mortal man. The clearance of the Germans from the oceans liberated the fleets: the arrival of the Anzacs in Egypt created the nucleus of the army needed to attack the heart of the Turkish empire. The deadlock on the western front, where alt was now frozen into Winter trenches, afforded at once a breathing space and large possibility of further troops. While Australian battalions trampled the crisp sand of the Egyptian desert in tireless evolutions, and Commander Holbrook, in his valiant submarine, dived under the mine fields of Chanak and sank a Turkish transport in the throat of the Dardanelles, far away dockyard men were toiling night and day to erect the 15-in. guns and turrets of the Queen Elizabeth. As yet all was unconscious, incohonte, purposeless, uncombined. Any one of a score of chances might have given, might still give, an entirely different direction to the event. No plan has been made, no resolve taken. But new ideas are astir, new possibilities are coming into view, new forces are at hand, and with them there marches towards us a new peril of the first magnitude. Russia, mighty steam roller, hope of suffering France, and prostrate Belgium—Russia is failing. Her armies are grappling with Hindenburg and Ludendorff, and behind their brave battlefronts already the awful signs of weakness, of deficiency, of disorganization are apparent to anxious cabineta and councils. Winter has come and locked all Russia in its grip. No contact with her allies, no help from them, is possible. The ice blocks the White Sea. The Germans hold the Baltic. The Turks have barred the Dardanelles. It needs but a cry from Russia to make vital what is now void, and to make purposeful what is now meaningless. But as yet no cry has come.

Strain on Admiralty

The reader has now followed the steady increase of strain upon Admiralty resources which marked in every theatre the months of September, October, and November. He must understand that, although for the purposes of the narrative it is necessary to deal in separate chapters with each separate set of strains and crises; the events were proceeding simultaneously in all theatres at once, and the consequent strains were cumulative and reciprocally reacting on one another, with the result that during November an extraordinary pitch of intensity was reached which could not well be prolonged and which could not possibly have been exceeded.

It is worth while to review the whole situation. First, the transport of troops and supplies to France was unceasing and vital to our army. On the top of all this came the operations on the Belgian coast, the approach of the enemy to the channel ports, and the long-drawn crisis of the great battle of Ypres-Yser. Secondly, all the enemy's cruisers were still alive, and a number of hostile armed merchantmen were free in the outer seas, each threatening an indefinite number of points and areas and requiring from five to ten times their number to search for them and protect traffic while they were at large. At the same time, the great convoys of troops from India, from Canada, from Australia, and the collection of the British regular garrisons from all parts of the world were proceeding; and no less than six separate expeditions, viz., Samoa, New Guinea, the Persian Gulf, German East Africa, the Cameroons, and German South-West Africa, were in progress and at a critical stage. Upon this was thrust the outbreak of war with Turkey and the attack upon the Suez Canal.

To meet these fierce obligations we had to draw no less than three decisive units from the Grand Fleet. This fleet, which at the outset of the war was in perfect order, was already requiring refits by rotation, with consequent reduction of available strength. Meanwhile the submarine menace had declared itself in a serious form, and was, moreover, exaggerated in our minds. Although the most vehement efforts were being made to give security to our fleets in their northern harbors, these measures took many weeks, during which anxiety was continual. Behind all stood the German fleet, aware, as we must suppose, of the strain to which we were being subject, and potentially ready to challenge the supreme decision. With the long nights of Winter, the absence of all regular troops from the country, the then inadequate training of the territorial force, and the embryonic condition of the new Kitchener armies, the fear of invasion revived and, although rejected, nevertheless required a whole series of precautionary measures. It was a formidable time. More than once the thought occurred that the Admiralty would be forced to contract their responsibilities and abandon to their fate for a time some important interest, in order that those which were vital might be secured. It may be claimed that during these months we met every single call that was made upon us, guarded every sea, carried every expedition, brought every convoy safely in, discharged all our obligatons both to the army in France and to the Belgians, and all the time maintained such a disposition of our main forces that we should never have declined battle had the enemy ventured to offer it.

Tension Relaxed

Then suddenly all over the world the tension was relaxed. One after another the German cruisers and commerce destroyers were blocked in or hunted down. The great convoys arrived. The expeditions were safely landed. Ocean after ocean became clear. The boom defences of our harbors were completed. A score of measures for coping with the submarine were set on foot. Large reinforcements of new ships of the highest quality and of every class began to join the fleet. The attack on the Suez Canal was beaten off. The rebellion in South Africa was quelled by the Boer leaders. The dangers of invasion, if such there were, diminished every day with the increasing efficiency of the Territorials and the new armies. The great battle for the channel ports ended in decisive and even glorious victory. And, finally, with the battle of the Falkland Islands, the clearance of the oceans was complete, and except in the land-locked Baltic and Black Seas and the defended area of the Heligoland Bight the German flag had ceased to fly on any vessel in any quarter of the globe.

As December passed, a sense of indescribable relief stole upon the Admiralty. We had made the great transition from peace to war without disaster, almost without mishap. All the perils which had haunted us before the war, and against which we had prepared, had been warded off or surmounted, and had never come to pass. There had been no surprise. The fleet was ready. The army had reached the decisive battlefield in the nick of time and was satisfactorily maintained. The mining danger had been overcome. We thought we had the measure of the submarine, and so indeed we had for nearly two years to come. All the enemy's plans for commerce destruction and all our alarms about them had come to nought. British and Allied commerce proceeded without hesitation throughout the world; the trade and food of Britain were secured; the war insurance dropped to 1 per cent. A feeling of profound thankfulness filled our hearts as this first Christmas of the war approached; and of absolute confidence in final victory.

The mighty enemy, with all the advantages of preparation and design, had delivered his onslaught and had everywhere been brought to a standstill. It was our turn now. The initiative had passed to the great amphibian. The time and the means were at our command. It was for us to say where we would strike and when. The strength of the Grand Fleet was, as we believed, ample; and in addition the whole of those enormous fleets which hitherto had been spread over the outer seas now formed a surplus fleet capable of intervening in the supreme struggle without in any way compromising the foundation of our naval power.

But these realizations were only permissible as the prelude to fresh and still more intense exertions. It would indeed be shameful, so it seemed at least to me, for the Admiralty to rest contented with the accomplishment of the first and most hazardous stage of its task and to relax into a supine contemplation of regained securities and dangers overcome. Now was the time to make our weight tell, perhaps decisively, but certainly most heavily, in the struggle of the armies. Now was the time to take these Germans by the throat or by the nose, "to dig the rats out of their holes," to fasten an offensive upon them unexpected and unforeseeable, to present them with a succession of surprising situations leading on from crisis to crisis and from blow to blow till their downfall was achieved.

Moreover, these same Germans were, of all the enemies in the world, the most formidable when pursuing their own plans; the most easily disconcerted when forced to conform to the plans of their antagonist. To leave a German leisure to evolve his vast, patent, accurate designs, to make his slow, thorough, infinitely far-seeing preparations was to court a terrible danger. To throw him out of his stride, to battle his studious mind, to break his self-confidence, to cow his spirit, to rupture his schemes by unexpected action, was surely the path not only of glory but of prudence.

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End of First Phase

Here then ends the first phase of the naval war, and with it this volume. The first part of the British task is done both by land and sea. Paris and the channel ports are saved, and the seas are cleared. It is certain that the whole strength of the British Empire can be turned into war power and brought to bear upon the enemy. There is no chance of France being struck down before the British Empire is ready; there is no chance of the British Empire itself being paralysed before its full force can be applied to the struggle. The supreme initiative passes from the Teutonic powers to the allies. Resources, almost measureless and of indescribable variety in ships, in men, in munitions and devices of war, will now flow month by month steadily into our hands. What shall we do with them? Strategic alternatives on the greatest scale and of the highest order present themselves to our choice. Which shall we choose? Shall we use our reinforced fleets and great new armies of 1915 either to turn the Teutonic right in the Baltic or their left in the Black Sea and Balkans? Or shall we hurl our manhood against sandbags, wire and concrete, in frontal attack upon the German fortified lines in France? Shall we by a supreme effort make direct contact with our Russian ally or leave her in a dangerous isolation? Shall we by decisive action, in hopes of shortening the conflict, marshal and draw in the small nations in the north and in the south who now stand outside it? Or shall we plod steadily forward at what lies immediately in our front. Shall our armies trample the mud of Flanders, or shall we break new ground? Shall our fleets remain contented with the grand and solid results they have won, or shall they ward off future perils by a new inexhaustable audacity?

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HELD BY POLICE

STOCKHOLM, March 1. — The police are holding Hans Henning von Behr, a German, on the allegation that he participated in the assassination of the German Foreign Minister, Dr. Walter Rathenau, last June, and in the attempt on the life of Phillip Schiedemann.

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AIRMEN LOST AT SEA

STUART, Fla., March 1.—Delos Thomas, aviator, and Captain Theodore Tibbs, missing since Friday, when they left Bimini aboard a seaplane for Stuart, were regarded today as lost at sea, although search for them was continued today.

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Inquires Salaries Paid To Trade Commissioners

OTTAWA, March 1.—Mr. Joseph Archambault, member for Chambly-Vercheres, has given notice that he will ask the Government for a statement showing the names of all the commercial agents or trade commissioners representing Canada overseas, together with the dates of their appointments and their respective salaries.

The cost of collecting customs and excise and income taxes during the years 1918 to 1922 inclusive, is asked by Mr. William Black, Progressive, Huron.

WORK, NOT DOLES, FOR BRITISH UNEMPLOYED

England Was to Brighten Industry by Getting Back Position in Dominion Markets

LONDON, March 1.—Speaking at Southampton yesterday, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Secretary for Overseas Trade, gave a broad survey of the industrial situation and declared the Government was determined to find work for the unemployed in Great Britain instead of doles. The three hundred million of export trade which the country now lacked compared with the exports of ten years ago, he said, must be recovered. He hinted that a threat to British shipping was coming from Germany, whose mercantile marine, which had been reduced under the peace treaty to 400,000 tons, would total 2,500,000 tons by the end of this year.

France's Sufferings

Reference was made by Sir William to "the black clouds which had come over the revival of trade, namely, the difficulties between France and Germany."

"We must not forget," he said, "though we may not agree with what she is doing, that France has suffered twice with the Germany enemy on her land within fifty years, and, though her action is detrimental to our immediate hopes of reparations, I ask you to realize that France was our ally and Germany our enemy."

The audience applauded this part of Sir William's speech. In closing, the speaker said that Britain's great aim was to get back her position in the Dominion markets.

SECOND FUR AUCTION IS HELD IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Total sales at the second fur auction sale of the year held here yesterday approximated $250,000. The general trend of prices was slightly lower, with some strong exceptions, which included wolf, white and red fox, and fisher. Of the skins sold down the percentage was probably not more than 2 per cent lower. Wolf sold above the market, with a high price of $19 and a low of $2; weasels sold as high as 95 cents, with a low of 10 cents. Silver fox showed a variation from $20 to $195; red fox from $5 to $19.50; cross fox $10 to $130, and white fox at $45. Rats sold at 85 cents, a better grade at 99 cents, with an average of 90 cents. Small dark fisher sold as high as $130, while the larger skins, not so much in demand, went as low as $35. Beaver sold from $7 to $23. Mink averaged $8, with a low of $5. Bear was entirely neglected.

FOOTBALL CONTESTS DISCUSSED IN HOUSE

Minister of Justice Says Government Is Not Aware of Circumstances in Vancouver Competitions

OTTAWA, March 1.—The publication of inducements to betting was brought to the attention of the Government in the House of Commons this afternoon by Mr. George Black, Conservative member for the Yukon. He cited the enactment passed last session imposing a fine not exceeding $1,000 on this practice, and asked whether the Government was aware that at Vancouver, B.C., and elsewhere corporations were publishing on a large scale invitations to foretell the result of contests, and big sums of money were being diverted from legitimate channels to gambling of this character. The Minister of Justice, Sir Lomer Gouin, replied that the Government was not aware of the circumstances mentioned by Mr. Black.

"Is it the intention of the Government," Mr. Black pursued, "to make the law more stringent in efforts to stop such betting?"

"The matter is under consideration," the Minister of Justice replied.

U.S. PAYS DEBTS OF OFFICERS IN ENGLAND

Fifty Took Advantage of Bank's Liberality to the Extent of $20,000 While Overseas

LONDON, March 1.—While John Bull is being patted on the back for his honesty and straightforwardness in settling his wartime debts, some Englishmen are equally desirous of administering reciprocal thumps on Uncle Sam's shoulders for clearing up odds and ends of American obligations in this country.

The inventions committee sent to England recently is holding daily sessions to hear claims which will cost the American Government thousands of dollars, while the historic banking firm of Messrs. Cox is overjoyed because it has received from Washington about $20,000 to pay overdrafts of approximately fifty American officers. These military men during the war took advantage of the bank's liberality and then left England without settling their accounts.

IRISH RAILWAY HEADS REPORT ON DAMAGE

Destruction on Great Southern Railway £60,000—Operating Losses Amount to £241,000

DUBLIN, March 1.—At the annual meeting of the Great Southern Railway here yesterday, the president stated that on this line alone the tracks had been cut 467 times, 291 bridges had been damaged, 139 signal cabins and other buildings destroyed or damaged, 66 locomotives damaged and 3 destroyed, 169 cars destroyed and 240 damaged. He stated that the total amount of damage was £60,000, apart from which the net loss in the operations for the year would amount to £241,000.

HICCOUGHS SEVENTY HOURS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—Charles Tewson, 57, has hiccoughed for more than seventy hours. Tewson is in the General Hospital here. He told physicians at the hospital yesterday that he started hiccoughing Friday night.

Where Insane Inmates of Asylum Died

The Third Floor of Ward 43 Was the Heart of the Fire in the New York State Insane Asylum, in Which Twenty-Two Inmates and Three Male Nurses Lost Their Lives.

EACH PROVINCE WILL AID NAVAL RESERVE

Asked to Supply Company an dan Additional Half Company Where Training Can Be Provided

OTTAWA, March 1.—Each Province will furnish a company for the naval volunteer reserve, organization of which was authorized recently. In addition, in the larger provinces where training facilities can be provided, an additional half company may be raised. The men will be enlisted for three consecutive years and re-enlisted for further terms of three years, but not exceeding a maximum of ten terms of three years.

Training will be for a period of 14 days annually, and in addition instructions will be given in naval subjects at the various company headquarters.

Appointing Officers

Officers of the reserve are now being appointed and their selection will probably be completed by March 15. Officers on appointment must be between the ages of 19 and 40 and will be chosen from the localities where companies are established. As soon as the company officers are appointed they will proceed with the recruiting of men to complete their companies and in time to begin their annual drill and training during the coming Summer.

The reserve will form part of the Canadian navy and consist of 1,000 officers and men.

America Decides Not To Reopen Consulate At Newcastle-on-Tyne

WASHINGTON, March 1. — The British Government was notified by Ambassador Harvey in London that the United States had issued orders that its consulate at Newcastle-on-Tyne was not to be reopened, and that disposition was to be made of the consular premises. The decision grows out of Great Britain's cancellation of the exequatur and recognition of Consul Slater and Vice-Consul Brooks, who were charged with discriminating against British vessels. The State Department was advised late in the day by Mr. Harvey that he had handed Lord Curzon, British Foreign Minister, a note giving the decision of the American Government and its reasons for pursuing such a course. Several notes on the controversy previously had been exchanged, the one today being in reply to a communication from Lord Curzon dated December 27.

The American note reiterated that a thorough investigation had shown conclusively that "the charges preferred cannot be substantiated."

Marshal Von Hindenburg Is Ready to Fight Again

BERLIN, March 1.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg is quoted by The Tages Zeitung as having said at a meeting of the Hanover Agricultural League: "We will never forget that we are all Germans and must do our duty, and if necessary, we will fight even until the flag is torn to pieces and the last sword blade shattered. It is better to perish in honor than to live in disgrace."

SIX-YEAR-OLD HAD BRONCHITIS EVERY WINTER

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BANK REPORT OPPOSES PROVINCIAL SYSTEM

Alberta Government Commission Offers Views—Advocates Appointment of Credit Commissioner

EDMONTON, March 1.—The report on banking systems of the province prepared by Professor D. A. McGibbon, special commissioner named by the Government last year for this purpose, shows strong opposition to the establishment of a provincial banking system or any other variety of local banking plan. Professor McGibbon advocated a number of improvements in the banking system of the province, among them being the appointment of a credit commissioner to consider the complaints about credits, this latter arising out of a statement in the report that three chartered banks are charging too high a rate of interest at various points in the province.

Interest Rates

Dealing with general complaints, the report states that interest rates have varied from eight to ten per cent, and that but few farmers were able to borrow money at seven per cent, which is the maximum legal rate laid down in the Bank Act. The section of the Bank Act dealing with maximum interest rates, as at present drawn, says the report, is of no value in its present form, and the report urges that the act should fix in clear terms a legal maximum interest rate, which should be stated in terms of exact interest only.

ASKS IF MR. W. F. IVEL HAS BEEN APPOINTED

Mr. Meighen Told It Is Highly Improbable He Has Been Named to Map B.C. Redistribution

OTTAWA, March 1.—Mr. W. G. McQuarrie, Conservative, New Westminster, asked the Government in the House today if it was a fact that W. F. Ivel, defeated candidate in Victoria, B.C., last Federal election, had been appointed to map out a scheme of redistribution for British Columbia. If Mr. Ivel had been so engaged, Mr. McQuarrie continued, was it a fact that the scheme of redistribution was cut and dried, and that submission of the Redistribution Bill to a special parliamentary committee was unnecessary.

Hon. W. S. Fielding replied that nothing had happened to withdraw the Redistribution Bill from the hands of the parliamentary committee appointed to deal with it.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen pressed for a more specific answer as to Mr. Ivel's reported appointment.

"I know nothing of it. It is highly improbable," Mr. Fielding replied.

RECOMMENDS LOWER DIVORCE COURT FEES

New Tariff for Counsel, Solicitors, Attorneys and Agents Presented to Senate by Committee

OTTAWA, March 1.—The divorce committee has presented a recommendation to the Senate which makes for a drastic change in the tariff of fees in divorce proceedings. In the recommendation, the committee says:

"We have observed in dealing with petitions and applications for remission or refund of parliamentary fees upon petitions for bills of divorce a wide variation charged for legal services.

"Applicants have been charged sums varying from $150 to $1,000 for legal services in preparation and conduct of non-contested cases of the most simple characted."

A New Tariff

Under these circumstances the committee, to ensure that only reasonable fees will be charged in all cases, have submitted a new tariff of fees to be effective from the beginning of the present session for counsel, solicitors, attorney's and agents. The proposed fees are approximately analogous to those allowed in similar actions in provincial courts.

Under the new tariff the solicitors and agents' fees outside of disbursements in non-contested cases, should not be more than $130. Contested cases will cost more, as when proceedings last more than one day there are additional counsel fees at the rate of $50 a day.

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On February 1 creamery butter in cold storage amounted to 10,412,239 pounds, an increase of 15 1-2 per cent over the same month of last year. Dairy butter amounted to 119,954 pounds, a decrease of 63.61 per cent.

Cheese in storage on February 1 was 2,822,071 pounds, a decrease of 73.21 per cent from February 1 last year.

PRINCE RUPERT, March 1.—The civic employees' union here, at a meeting last night, decided to apply to the Minister of Labor at Ottawa for a conciliation board in connection with recently-enacted wage scale reductions and cuts in salaries, which the employees have refused to accept.

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REDFERN STREET CRIME

The death of Mr. Lionel Lorenz, a young bank clerk, who was shot down on Redfern Street on Wednesday evening, has aroused a mingled feeling of keen sympathy that a promising career should have been cut off in the first flush of manhood, and of deep indignation at the manner of his end. Whatever the motives of the murder, as murder it seems to be, it is a matter of supreme regret that in these latter days such a crime should be possible. It draws attention once more, and in a poignant way, to the comparative ease there is in securing firearms. So long as there is that ease there will be bloodshed in which the perpetrators will be either those of criminal intentions or of unbalanced mentality. It is a reproach to our Province that firearms should be so easily obtained. Where capital crimes are concerned, and where convictions are recorded in cases where firearms are the implements used, each and every occasion should be made the text in court for the necessity of tightening up the regulations governing the sale of such weapons of destruction. The number entitled to their possession, outside the authorized agents of Government, should be strictly limited to those who have hunting licences, and they should be in every case men who are recognized as being responsible for their actions.

We may hope that the tragic ending of the young bank clerk will be a solemn warning that the ability to secure firearms should be greatly circumscribed. As news dispatches tell us so often there are too many gunmen on the Pacific Coast. This Winter there has been, though happily not in Victoria, a number of cases of robbery under arms. If it had been impossible for the criminals concerned to have had arms the peace of the Province would have been so much the more assured. We do not know the circumstances that led to the Redfern Street crime. It may have been the act of a demented man. Whatever the circumstances the moral remains the same, namely, that our Government owes a duty to the community in the protection of human life. As Sir Basil Thompson, the late Chief of Scotland Yard, says, the best kind of protection is to make it more and more difficult for people to obtain firearms. The tragic happening of Wednesday evening should stir the people to a realization of the risks incurred through the law as it stands. In the meantime, the deepest sympathy of the community will go out to the family of the promising young lad whose career has been so abruptly cut short by the bullet from a murderer's revolver.

EDUCATIONAL INQUIRY

Mayor Tisdall, of Vancouver, has endorsed the proposal that the Provincial Government should be asked to carry out a survey of the school system of British Columbia. He says: "In view of the increased cost it is evident that there must be a great deal of overlapping in the present system. An inquiry by experts should result in practical suggestions which would increase the efficiency." The Provincial Government paid no attention to suggestions emanating from Victoria during some years past for a commission to inquire into our educational system, but now that Vancouver has taken up the cry it is possible that action may be evoked. It is symptomatic of the complaints that have been growing in volume that many school teachers themselves should have become impressed with the desirability of changes in the curriculum. That curriculum in the lower schools, as well as in the High School, is overcrowded. There are superfluous subjects being taught and there is altogether insufficient attention being paid to those subjects a knowledge of which is essential to good groundwork in education. The time schedule for subjects in the various schools calls for considerable revision. More stress should be laid on such branches of knowledge as arithmetic, composition, grammar, geography and history. There are terms during the school life when one or other of these subjects is almost entirely neglected, and on the whole far too little attention is being given to them because of the schedules now drawn up and enforced in the schools.

Any inquiry that is held should be carried out by an impartial tribunal and not by any body of men wedded to the present system, and who, therefore, may have prejudiced notions about education. It was pointed out in this newspaper nearly a year ago that the time was coming when public opinion, aroused by the growing costs of education, would demand an investigation into the efficiency of the system as it prevails. To some extent our educational system has got out of control of the Government because it has been invested with a certain elasticity which has meant that expenditures have grown without due regard to the taxpayers' desire or ability to pay. The question of reform is essentially one for the Government to investigate. It resolves itself, as we have maintained for some years past, into a redefinition of the scope and limits of State education, what is done in this regard being based on public sanction. The Provincial Government would be well advised to lose no time in making an educational survey and in giving the task to an impartial tribunal. It would be wholly unwise, by any refusal to bring about needed reforms, to permit the question of our educational system gradually to drift into the realm of party politics.

PROSPEROUS GERMANY

"Poor Germany," many people are saying in these days because of the occupation of the Ruhr by the French, but the phrase is wasted sympathy. Germany is not poor. It has been estimated by those who have made a close examination on the spot that German taxation works out at 19s 5d per head of her population per annum. Britain's taxation is at the rate of £25 8s 10d per head. German rents are fixed at 100 per cent above those which prevailed in pre-war times, but this is in marks, which means that the German householder is now only paying one-twenty-fifth as much rent as he paid prior to 1914. German industrial firms are paying tremendous dividends, from 25 to 50 per cent being common. There is no lack of capital for the extension of industrial enterprise, and the factories of the country are humming with activity.

Among the luxuries which Germany can afford under her present dispensation is that of a subsidy of 12,000,000,000 marks for her shipowners and shipbuilders. For public works her current budget provides an expenditure of 2,320,000,000 marks, and as well there are 2,470,000,000 marks for new railway equipment; 1,416,000,000 marks for new telephones, and 490,000,000 marks for new canals and improvements. Some indication of her prosperity is found in the fact that before the war bankruptcies averaged 800 per month, while throughout 1921 and 1922 they averaged only 150 per month. In Germany there are 10,000,000 persons employed on the land, and therein, perhaps, lies the secret of her industrial prosperity. She has, moreover, solved the problem of running the country on light taxation, and while doing so has impressed many people with the idea that she is not in a position to pay the reparations as imposed on her following the Great War. The one nation she has not hoodwinked in this respect is France.

TREND OF BUSINESS

A fact not altogether apparent to many Victorians is brought to light by Mr. A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, in pointing out traffic necessities. He says the centre of the business district is gradually drifting Northward, and that the distance between Victoria West, Esquimalt and the business area of the city is being steadily reduced in this sense. This trend of business has become noticeable during the past twelve months, and what it really means is a widening of the business area with a shifting of its centre towards the north. All this must have an influence on developments of future, and, for one thing, it will mean the growing importance of Pandora Avenue as one of the main business arteries of the city. In the light of developments in this sense the B. C. Electric Railway Company has to keep a keen eye on future traffic possibilities and the trend of business. Both the City Council and the citizens can hardly fail to be impressed by the arguments advanced by Mr. Goward.

The footlights never seem to lose their glamor for those who have attained fame on the stage. Mrs. Lillian Lengtry, although 71 years old, is anxious to reappear, and a London manager has offered to find a suitable play for her. At present she lives in retirement at Monte Carlo.

Viscount Curzon says he is shocked when he reads in the newspapers an almost piteous appeal to the British people to withdraw from everywhere; from the Rhine, Constantinople, the Straits, Jerusalem and Baghdad. "I have no personal sympathy," he says, "with this policy of universal skedaddle." Lord Curzon belongs to the school which throughout history has made the name of Britain respected all over the world.

In Chicago a whole crop of "healers" has sprung up in the wake of M. Coue, the French chemist who has been teaching the doctrine of auto-suggestion. Their operations have become so notorious that the Health Commissioner has had to interfere to protect the public. There is divided opinion about the results of the work of M. Coue. Three women in Chicago, pronounced cured, now say the French pharmacist has not benefitted them, and two of them say they are in worse condition than when he "operated." On the other hand there are a few patients who praise the auto-suggestive methods and claim they are better than they were.

In the South of France the production of lavender oil is a peasant industry.

A Daughter of Millions

BY MERRIT RICHARDS

CHAPTER XVII

Love, Not Money, For Baynes

Baynes threw himself back in the carriage and tried to think as the train flew on. Lady Dalrymple's story had upset all his theories. He had left Dalrymple Court without seeing Sir Mark or anyone. Declining her ladyship's invitation to luncheon, he had got a sandwich at the inn in the village, and was just in time for a train that stopped there.

Now, as he thought it over, he asked himself if her ladyship had spoken the truth, or was she trying to throw dust in his eyes. It was almost incredible that she could have invented the story, one that blackened her own fair name. She had said the child was dead, that Mrs. O'Grady had agreed to some people adopting her, and she had died a year later. Lady Dalrymple had trusted entirely to her aunt in this question, and knew nothing about the people; she had an idea that they were emigrating, but she wasn't sure.

Baynes decided it was quite likely if Lady Dalrymple's tale was true that she was as ignorant as she professed. It was not likely that she would want to hear of this child, whose very existence was a menace to her, as Sir Mark would not be likely to forgive such an episode in the past. The longer he thought about the matter the more probable it seemed that her ladyship had told the truth; then all of a sudden the words that Tallantine had spoken over the telephone flashed across his mind: "I've found—"

Someone had cut the wire and prevented the message being finished. Anna Dalrymple had hinted that her step-mother had cut it, and again Baynes seemed to see Lady Dalrymple's face at the window of the room above the library, the ghastly, terror-stricken face, and her hair, to which the sun's rays gave a blood red tint, framing it.

"I don't know what to think. I'll talk it over with Barker," he reflected.

On arriving in London he drove at once to the lawyer's office, and found he was just leaving, so after arranging to dine together at a restaurant, Baynes drove to his Chambers, and on entering his room the first thing he saw was a letter that bore the Bracebridge postmark. Tearing it open, with the hope that it might contain news of Pearl, he took out a letter in a fairly legible hand and read:

"Respected Sir,—I thought it might interest you to know that Sir Gilbert Lascelles has been here. He came the day you left. I understand that his reason for coming was because he has lost a paper of some value, and he believed it was lost at Bracebridge House. Sir Gilbert asked me if I'd got it, so I told him I was not a thief; then he let slip that the paper had something to do with Mr. Tallantine's past life. I advised him to see the police about it, but I could tell that didn't fall in with his ideas. I thought you would find it useful to know this, and you may be able to get more out of Sir Gilbert that I could. He didn't go when he couldn't find the paper, but stayed on paying great attention to Miss Drummond. Indeed I've heard from Humphreys, Miss Tallantine's maid, who was told by her mistress, that the young lady has refused him, but he told Miss Tallantine as he shouldn't give her up.

"Yours respectfully,
"James Hart."

"Now, what is it?" said Barker when the waiter had withdrawn. They had got a table in a little recess, with no one behind them, and were able to talk without fear of being overheard, but by tacit consent the matter of which both were thinking had not been named until they had partaken of their soup.

"It's a muddle. Now listen," and Baynes told his companion all that Doctor Clarke had told him, Mrs. O'Grady's tale, and his interview with Lady Dalrymple.

"Poor woman!" was the lawyer's comment when he finished.

"Barker, you're infatuated with that woman's beauty. Now just forget it, and tell me if you believe her story?"

"I don't see what else we could do; it would be a marvel of ingenuity to invent it on the spur of the moment."

"Yes, but it may have been concocted ready for me. If she is Tallantina's wife, Mrs. O'Grady knows it, and would warn her ladyship, who would be ready for me."

Barker gave his attention to his dinner, then after a moment he said: "I see you doubt her."

"Yes. At first I thought she was speaking the truth, but on the way back I'd time to think, and there is no getting over poor Tallantine's words and the fact that the wire was cut just when he was speaking."

"You're right. Well, what are you going to do now?"

Baynes handed him the letter he'd received from Hart, saying: Read that."

"Good gracious, what is the paper?" exclaimed the lawyer; then he added quickly, "Do you think Sir Gilbert had anything to do with the murder?"

"No, but I'm going to Bracebridge House, and Hart may be able to tell me more about the lost paper."

"Why go there? Sir Gilbert has left."

"Miss Drummond is there," Baynes answered with a smile.

The lawyer stared at him; then he gathered what his companion meant.

"You admire her?" he said.

"I do more than that, and I'm not going to run any further risk of Sir Gilbert stepping in. I'm going up there to ask her to be my wife; then when I've got her promise, I'll come back and do my best to find Tallantine's daughter and the murderer."

"I sorry you're in love with Miss Drummond; I was hoping that when Tallantine's daughter was found you'd marry her," said Mr. Barker.

"Marry the girl who inherits Tallantine's millions? Not if I know it. I'm not going to lay myself open to the charge of being a fortune hunter."

"Listen, my boy. I'll tell you something poor Jack said that afternoon when we left your chambers. 'I like that young fellow, and I believe he'll find my girl. When he does I hope they'll fall in love with each other. He's a man to be trusted with a woman's happiness.'

"'He's only five hundred a year beside what he makes,' I remarked.

"'It's the man, not the money, that would count with me. As I said, I've faith to believe he will find my daughter; then who knows what may happen,' he said."

Stowell Haynes' face showed that he was pleased at the opinion the dead man formed of him.

"I'll do my utmost to prove his faith in me was justified, but if I had not met Miss Drummond I could never have married the heiress. I don't want a wife with the Tallantine millions as an appendage. By the way, I saw the detective whom I've employed to trace the girl who sold the brooch, just before I came here, and he says she might have vanished into thin air, so far as leaving a trace is concerned. It's most singular, because one would think she must see the paper. It looks as though she didn't want to be found. By the way, have the police any clue to the murderer?" said Baynes.

"No. Their theory is that he had an enemy, who knew that he was going into the country, and was there waiting for him. Of course, as the inspector pointed out to me, it would be easy for anyone to learn of the change in his destination, the fact that smallpox had broken out at the Abbey would be public property, also that Sir Gilbert and his expected guest were going to Dalrymple Court. News simply filters through a village, and the police believe that the murderer got unobserved into the Court, and remained in hiding, the fact that a side door leading on to the lawn was found unfastened confirms their theory."

"I hope they are right Baynes answered, and shortly after they left the restaurant, Barker going to see a friend who was ill, and Stowell Baynes returning to his Chambers, where he packed a portmanteau, then retired early.

The next morning he was early astir and caught the eight o'clock train north, and after a little delay caused by having to wait in York for a train that stopped at Bracebridge, he arrived there about two o'clock, and taking his bag set off at a brisk pace.

As he mounted the steps at Bracebridge House the door was opened by Hart, who said:

"I saw you coming, sir. Shall I get you some luncheon? It's been cleared away, but cook's a good hand at grilling a chop or a steak, sir."

Baynes smiled; the man's solicitude for his comfort was gratifying.

"Thank you, but I got some luncheon in the train before I got to York. Where is Miss Tallantine?"

"She's resting, sir. She's just gone upstairs. I don't think she likes to be disturbed in the afternoon, but Miss Pearl, she's called that in the house, sir, Miss Tallantine began it, and everybody says as the name just suits her, she's in the drawing-room, sir."

"Thanks; I think I can find my way," and Baynes went quickly towards the drawing-room, Hart looking after him with an approving smile.

"I didn't think as he'd let Sir Gilbert win. She's poor, but she's good enough for a king," he muttered as he turned away.

Baynes opened the door. Pearl was busy with some fancy work, but as he entered she looked up, and he saw a look of joy flash into her face. Then he strode forward, and standing in front of her he took her both hands in his as he said:

"Pearl I've come to tell you that I cannot live without you, that I want you for my wife."

She didn't speak, but the happiness in her face told him that his love was returned, and in another moment he held her in his arms while he whispered words of love.

(To Be Continued)

Poems That Endure

Untwisting all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

MARCH

The cock is crowing,
The stream is flowing,
The small birds twitter,
The lake doth glitter,
The green field sleeps in the sun;
The oldest and youngest
Are at work with the strongest;
The cattle are grazing,
Their heads never raising;
There are forty feeding like one!

Like an army defeated
The snow hath retreated,
And now doth fare ill
The ploughboy is whooping—anon—anon!
On the top of the bare hill
There's joy on the mountains;
There's life in the fountains;
Small clouds are sailing,
Blue sky prevailing;
The rain is over and gone!
—William Wordsworth.

By the Way—

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Vaccination

Sir,—Your correspondent, Mary Daniell, announced her purpose "to throw a little light on some points on which Miss Kitto is not well informed as regards smallpox and vaccination," and for that reason I read her letter with expectancy. But my expectations were doomed to disappointment. Her light was indeed little—too little to be seen—and she carefully refrained from any attempt to justify the filthy rite of vaccination.

Permit me to examine the stock of superior information with which Mary Daniell seeks to overwhelm Miss Kitto.

1. That she (Mary Daniell) was once informed by a man named Beardsley, who was doctor to someone's father, that vaccination had almost stamped out smallpox. A bold assertion which is uninteresting and irrelevant.

2. That Beardsley told her than another man said to him: "I want to show you a case of confluent smallpox." The other man showed Beardsley a human being frightfully disfigured, indeed "one mass of corruption." Mary Daniell does not state whether this case of confluent smallpox was one of the 1,211 cases of vaccinated persons who contracted the disease during the Gloucester epidemic. I submit that without this essential information item No. 2 is also irrelevant.

3. That girls not pitted with smallpox were considered beauties. This piece of superior information is not accompanied with any facts which would indicate that the vaccinated were less pitted than the unvaccinated. Item No. 3 must therefore be classified as irrelevant. It may interest Mary Daniell to know that Dr. Hadwen, of Gloucester—a leading anti-vaccinator—has treated hundreds of cases of smallpox and not one has been pitted by the disease. This result he ascribes to the free use of olive oil to allay irritation.

4. That Miss Kitto is wrong in stating that the disease during the Gloucester epidemic chiefly attacked the vaccinated because she (Mary Daniell) lived in Cheltenham at the time. I submit that Mary Daniell's former place of residence has no bearing whatever on the subject.

5. That it was common knowledge that the Gloucester epidemic arose because the town was a stronghold of the anti-vaccinationists. Mary Daniell submits no facts or figures to prove whether the belief referred to was common knowledge or common ignorance. The appeal must be to the irrefutable facts, yet your correspondent carefully avoids coming to grips with them.

6. That all anti-vaccinators and anti-vivisectionists are inconsistent. This she proves (?) by quoting an incident which she learned from her brother, who was a personal friend of Sir Victor Horsley, who stated that he knew of one case where an anti-vivisectionist had asked for a Pasteur treatment. Here, strangely enough, Mary Daniell closes her letter. From start to finish she makes no attempt to supply either the light or the information which she heralded with such a triumphant blast. On the all-important question of facts and figures she very naively remarks, "I do not propose to weary your readers with statistics, which do not matter much, as it seems to me."

This disinclination to face the "statistics which do not matter much" is quite understandable, for they enable the anti-vaccinator to "prove all things and hold fast to that which is good." At the risk, therefore, of wearying your readers, I will supply some of the statistics which Mary Daniell so wisely avoids. Your readers will then be able to form their own opinions of the efficacy or otherwise of Jenner's loathsome invention.

In the Gloucester epidemic 1,979 persons were attacked by smallpox. Of these no less than 1,211—nearly two-thirds—were vaccinated. Of these 1,211 "protected persons" no less than 139 died. According to Dr. Coupland — a pro-vaccinator — 190 cases were both vaccinated and re-vaccinated. Of these, 62 would not "take," and, according to a prominent medical man of this city, this should be a sure indication of complete immunity from the disease. Several on the list were vaccinated no less than three times, whilst 14 were vaccinated, revaccinated and re-revaccinated. One soldier had been successfully vaccinated no less than seven times, yet this much-vaccinated man contracted the disease against which he was fortified sevenfold. There were seven cases in which successful revaccination had taken place within from fourteen days to three months, when, according to one of the many medical theories in vogue, vaccination is in its most perfect condition of protective power. In 86 cases there had been successful revaccination from fourteen days and under before contracting the disease, when the cowpox virus should have been at its strongest. If cowpox cannot prevent smallpox when it is most active in the system, how can it be expected to do so when its virulent effects are at an end?

Dr. Coupland gives a further list of 89 persons vaccinated for the first time within a fortnight of their contracting the disease and he makes the startling admission that "it is not possible to assert that vaccination had exerted a distinctly modifying influence on the disease." Of the 89 cases in this class there were 13 labelled "mild," 14 "discrete," and the rest were "confluent,"—the type around which the battle of life and death concentrates. Two of these confluent cases were "malignant" and both died, and one of these had been vaccinated a full fourteen days before contracting the disease.

Reverting to the 1,211 "protected" persons who contracted the disease it is noteworthy that 29 had "malignant" smallpox and every one died; and 233 had confluent smallpox and 70 died. Thus 352 successfully vaccinated persons were attacked with the severest form of the disease, against which, according to Jenner, they were perfectly secure, scoring a fatality rate of 39.3 per cent. Possibly the "confluent" case mentioned by Mary Daniell was one of these duly vaccinated persons.

Perhaps Mary Daniell will ponder the following striking instance: Daisy Sabin, aged four, living at 5 Linden Road, Gloucester, was vaccinated in six places, three weeks and three days before contracting the disease, and she died. Her sister, sixteen months, unvaccinated, contracted the disease and recovered, and was not even pitted.

The Anti-Vaccination League of Victoria will be pleased to appoint a representative to meet any pro-vaccinator in a public discussion of the subject.

E. S. WOODWARD,
Vice-President, Anti-Vaccination League.

Victoria, B. C., March 1, 1923.

SEATTLE FARES LOWERED

SEATTLE, March 1.—Round trip fares from Seattle northward on the Great Northern Railroad have been greatly reduced, effective today, according to an announcement this morning. Fare and a third for the round trip will be the standard rate to points between Seattle and Vancouver, B.C. Return must be made within ten days. This means that the new fare to Vancouver will be $7.75, as against the previous fare of $11.58. The reduction is permanent, according to Claude M. Meldrum, assistant general passenger agent, who issued the statement.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 2, 1873)

Government Appointments—The following appointments were gazetted yesterday: Hon. William James Armstrong, to be Minister of Finance and Agriculture; C. S. Pooley, Esq., to be Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia; H. Y. Edmonds, Esq., to be returning officer for the electoral district of New Westminster; P. J. Rowcoe, Esq., to be member of the Court of Revision for the Victoria Road District.

The Police Force—The Municipal Council, at a meeting held last evening, took over the police and elected Mr. Bowden inspector. They also elected the four constables on the old force. The Council has authority over the country for a radius of six miles, but it is a moot question whether Esquimalt comes under its jurisdiction.

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TRIAL WILL BEGIN HERE NEXT WEEK

Next Wednesday Set as Date for the Hearing of Abortion Charges Against Rose and Hannah

Preliminary proceedings in the trial of Dr. D. Albert Rose, charged with performing an illegal operation, will come on for hearing before Magistrate Jay next Wednesday. It was announced in the police court yesterday, when the accused man again appeared on remand.

Mrs. Annie Mulderig, the young woman, of whom it will be alleged that she was the mother of the stillborn infant found in the Lemon, Gonnason millyard, was progressing satisfactorily in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, City Prosecutor Harrison informed the court; and it was expected that she would be able to appear in the witness box next week.

The same disposition was made in the case of Earl G. Hannah, charged with putting the child's body in the millyard, for the purpose of concealing the fact that the young woman had been delivered of it. Hannah, who was granted bail in the sum of $1,000 last Wednesday, was still in custody yesterday; and was brought into court from the police cells, along with Dr. Rose, on whose account the magistrate has consistently refused to consider any application for bail.

Mr. P. J. Sinnott, appearing for Dr. Rose, and Mr. W. A. Brethour, appearing for Hannah, intimated that they would be ready to go on next Wednesday.

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TORONTO CONFERENCE WILL BE CONSIDERED

Local Committee to Be Formed Relative to Eastern Educational Conference

For the purpose of perfecting a local organization to consider the question of representation at the triennial conference on education and citizenship, to be held at Toronto from April 2 to 8, a meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce, Government Street, of representatives of all Victoria organizations and all others interested in questions of education and citizenship. Mr. Henry Charlesworth, of Victoria, a member of the National Council of Education, will be in charge of the meeting and will outline the objects of the Toronto conference. He has been asked by the Council of Education to consider plans for Victoria delegates to the conference.

Many of the leading educationists from every Province in Canada will attend the conference, as well as prominent visitors. The speakers who will attend from Great Britain are to make a tour of the Dominion and will speak in the larger cities. Sir Henry Newton, M.A., D.Litt., will be a visitor to Victoria on March 16 and 17.

COUNTY COURT LIST

Judge Lampman will sit in the County Court next Monday for the purpose of assigning dates during the present month to the following list of trials:

David T. Jones (Crease) vs. Louie Sing et al (Robertson).

Thomas Cusack (Foot) vs. Victoria (Drive Yourself) Auto Livery, Ltd. (Green).

D. W. G. Coley (Heisterman) vs. Direct Supply Association, Ltd.

R. W. C. Stoddart (Mills) vs. Bromley-Judd (Sinnott).

Edward Logan (Walls) vs. James Drummond et al (Brandon).

Rex (Harrison) vs. Lay et al (Aikman), appeal.

Rex (Harrison) vs. Louie Fong (Shaw), appeal.

Rex (Harrison) vs. Ah Lee (Aikman), appeal.

FINDS "PAGANS" IN CITY SCHOOLS

DEAN QUAINTON TELLS ROTARY CLUB OF DANGER

Sees Possibility of Encouraging Bolshevism—Outlines Cathedral and Memorial Hall Programme

The growing number of "pagan" children in the schools of Victoria is likely to cause serious trouble in the future unless religious training is given more attention, Dean Cecil Quainton, rector of Christ Church Cathedral, told members of the Rotary Club at their luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

"We read that Bishop Farthing says Bolshevist schools are being started in Canada to break down belief in the existence of God and destroy Christian standards," said the Dean. "I do not say that such schools will ever be started in Victoria, but such institutions would find a fertile field in the minds and hearts of the pagan children who are attending our schools. There are not many such children, but there are some, nevertheless, who have received no religious education whatever. They are the soil in which the germs and seeds of Bolshevism may find strongest root and perhaps bring about disaster."

Building Plans

Plans for erecting a new Anglican cathedral and a memorial hall as one of its complements were outlined by Dean Quainton.

The Dean said that he and the other advocates of the church programme had been encouraged by the evidence of general support that had been given, and he said that reliance was being placed on Victoria's business men to give what support they could to the undertaking.

He stated that $45,000 has already been set aside by the church for the building of the memorial hall, which would be devoted to the religious education of young people, and also used as quarters for the Synod and similar institutions.

The Dean said that there had been some criticism of the proposal to build the memorial hall before the main cathedral building was started. The decision had been reached, however, not without mature consideration, and it was felt that the requirements of the children should be met first. The present schoolroom, he said, was decrepit and unworthy of Victoria.

The naive would be the first unit of the cathedral to be commenced, the Dean stated. The cost of the completed building would be between $500,000 and $1,000,000, he said. Money had already been appropriated for the work, and he felt that everyone would admit the programme was based on sound financial grounds.

SIR RICHARD LAKE ELECTED PRESIDENT

Meeting Held to Perfect Organization of Branch of World Alliance in the Interests of Peace

"You cannot thrust peace upon the world. You have first to get men into the right mind, into the right relationship with God, into the right relationship with one another," declared Rt. Rev. C. de V. Schofield in an address which he gave at the meeting held last evening in the Metropolitan Methodist Church schoolroom for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the local branch of the World Alliance for the Promotion of International Friendship. Rev. Dr. Clay, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, presided, and representatives of several of the other churches of the city were present and endorsed the recommendations of the nominations committee. The following, therefore, are the officers of the society:

President, Sir Richard Lake.

Vice-presidents, Bishop Schofield (Anglican), Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay (Presbyterian), Rev. Mr. Freeman (Baptist), Rev. Dr. Sipprell (Methodist).

Recording secretary, Rev. Mr. McMinn; corresponding secretary, Rev. Wm. Stevenson; treasurer, Mr. Arthur Lee.

The executive consists of Rev. W. J. Wilson, Mr. Wm. Marchant, Mr. W. H. McInnes, Rev. A. de B. Owen, Rev. J. F. Dimmick, Mr. W. C. Ellis, Mr. Ritchie, Mr. Lindley Crease, Mr. Rand and Mr. Coventry.

The first part of the meeting was occupied with the reading of the constitution and other matters of routine character, afterwards Bishop Schofield and Mr. Freeman addressing the audience on the necessity of such movements as that intended to bring about international peace.

The Church's Part

The Church had a big contribution to make to the movement, said Bishop Schofield. But its contribution should be a discriminating one, recognizing that it required effort and co-operation on the part of its representatives. The League of Nations had been started in an atmosphere opposed to the attainment of its object. But unless the World Alliance of Churches movement was successful none of these other movements could accomplish what they set out to do. Every individual supporting the movement must realize that peace did not mean the negative harmony of isolation, attained by keeping away from each other.

"I like our movement because it takes the long vision," continued the Bishop. It meant life enrolment, life work, thinking and talking continuously in terms of mercy, truth, and righteousness, within first, then without. His work would not be accomplished today or tomorrow, but the vision must be held aloft, and whether the present made good or failed, the vision would remain. Beginning within the church membership the spirit of the movement must pass out right into the national life.

Call To the Churches

Mr. Freeman referred to Dr. Jowett's "Call to the Churches," which appeared in The British Weekly some time ago, and in which the noted divine had pointed out that the world was again drifting to war, asking what was to be the attitude of the Church of Christ.

"The churches of all denominations in the last war became recruiting stations," said the speaker, who held that had the church not thrown herself so actively into this work at that time the success of the war would not have been so great as it was.

"She did it to save the nation from the dominance of autocracy," continued Mr. Freeman. In the late war the sword had been our weapon. Was there no other way of saving national life? If the Church, if the nations had forgotten the teachings of the Prince of Peace then they had forgotten the source of their strength. Racial jealousies, commercial jealousies, and denominational jealousies must be broken down.

Among the briefer speakers at the meeting were Mr. Marchant and Rev. Dr. Sipprell.

SIR WALTER CASSELS IS CALLED BY DEATH

Chief Justice of Exchequer Court of Canada Dies at Ottawa in His Seventy-Eighth Year

SIR WALTER CASSELS

OTTAWA, March 1.—Sir Walter Gibson Pringle Cassels, B.A., K.B., President and Chief Justice of the Exchequer Court of Canada, died this morning at his home here. He had been critically ill for some time and the end was not unexpected. He was in his 78th year.

The late Sir Walter Cassels leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, two sons, Robert and George, both of Toronto; four daughters, Mrs. Lockett Gordon, of Toronto; Mrs. Eric Hamilton, of London, Eng.; and Miss Harriet and Miss Susan, at home. He is also survived by two brothers, Hamilton Cassels, K.C., and Richard Cassels, both of Toronto.

Interment will take place in St. James' Cemetery, Toronto, on Saturday.

Born in Quebec

The late Justice Sir Walter Gibson Pringle Cassels, of the Exchequer Court, was a native of Quebec City, where he was born on August 14, 1845. His father was Robert Cassels, a banker. After receiving his early education in his native city, he was graduated from the University of Toronto in 1865. Four years later he was called to the bar and joined the firm of Blake, Kerr and Boyd, with which he was connected until called to the Exchequer Court in 1909, in succession to Judge Burbidge. He was created Queen's Council by the Marquis of Lorne in 1883, and was honored by the Sovereign with the rank of Knight Bachelor in 1907. In 1908 he was appointed a Royal Commissioner to investigate the Marine Department as the result of complaints of that Department made by the Commission which had just previously investigated the Civil Service. He was the chairman of the Board of Arbitration which fixed the value of the Grand Trunk preference and common stocks. In religion he was a member of the Church of England.

OBITUARIES

MORRELL—The death occurred suddenly at St. Joseph's Hospital, Wednesday morning, of Frank Morrell, aged 49 years. He was born in Bradford, England, and had resided in this city for the past eleven years. The remains are resting at the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Co., 734 Broughton Street, where service will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

KEE—The funeral of Tim Kee will take place from the B.C. Funeral Parlors at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

DADGE—Service over the remains of the late Mr. Harry Dadge was conducted yesterday afternoon at the B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. H. V. Hitchcox. Many sympathizing friends were present, and many beautiful floral offerings were received. The hymns sung were, "God Moves in a Mysterious Way" and "On the Resurrection Morn." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. Minty, B. Simmonds, S. Morris, F. Smith, W. Hodgson and T. Tams. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LORENZ—The remains of Ernest Lionel Lorenz are reposing at the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Co., where service has been arranged to take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. G. H. Andrews officiating. Deceased was born at Skeena River, B.C., twenty years ago, and leaves to mourn his loss his mother and two sisters, Erna and Marjorie, all in this city. Interment will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GEE—On Tuesday, February 27, at Blenkinsop Road, Saanich, the death occurred of Joe Loop Gee, aged 52 years, a native of China, and a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-eight years. The funeral will take place this (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, from McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the Chinese cemetery.

PREMIER OLIVER TO SPEAK IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Mr. G. G. McGeer, K.C., Government counsel in the freight rate appeal, left tonight for Victoria to confer with Premier Oliver preparatory to the Premier's speech here next Tuesday night.

J. G. Turgeon, who has in hand the arrangements for the Oliver meeting, which is to be held here Tuesday evening next, states that as a result of the Premier's visit East there are many new facts in connection with the discrimination in freight rates and other matters to bring out before the public of this Province.

START FIGHT FOR SHIP PROTECTION

WEST COAST NEEDS PATROL BOAT AND CABLES

Mr. W. N. Kelly Tells Rotary Club About Dangers in "Graveyard of the Pacific"

Provision of adequate lifesaving facilities on the West Coast of Vancouver Island to render British shipping independent of the United States when in need of assistance will be urged upon the Dominion Government by the Victoria Rotary Club and other organizations.

Speaking before the Rotary Club's luncheon yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, Mr. W. N. Kelly, who has had personal experience with conditions on the West Coast, declared that there should be a land cable between the life saving station at Bamfield and Pachena and a submarine cable between Bamfield and Ucluelet.

Mr. Kelly declared that during the Winter months the present telegraph line between Bamfield and Pachena was down two weeks in every four on account of windstorms, and he said that the steamer Alaskan, which went down on January 1 with eleven lives, might have been saved had it not been for that condition. The cost of laying a land line, he said, would be about $800 a mile, and the distance between Pachena and Bamfield was about eleven miles. The cost would be less to lay a submarine cable.

Need Ocean Tug

Operation of a powerful ocean tugboat by the Department of Naval Defence was urged. The boat would be used for patrol purposes during the Winter, and in Summer could be employed for naval training. The base would be at Bamfield, where the life saving equipment at present consisted of only a lifeboat.

"If Ottawa officials would come out to the West Coast in the Winter, instead of in the Summer, when they can play golf, they would go home convinced of the necessity for better protection," said Mr. Kelly, who was supported by Captain George McGregor. "During the storms of early February, when three American ships and one British were in trouble, everything depended on the United States coastguard cutter Snohomish. It shouldn't be necessary for us to be in that position any longer. Protection to shipping on the West Coast should be regarded as a naval defence matter and should be kept free of politics."

Text of Resolution

The Rotary Club adopted this resolution:

"Whereas the West Coast of Vancouver Island is adjacent to the most important trade route approaching the ports of Western Canada;

"And whereas said coast is well known to present grave dangers to navigators during the Winter months;

"And whereas the existing provision for intercommunication between lighthouses, life saving stations and other shore points is admitted to be insufficient and unreliable, and has proved to be so;

"And whereas the life saving equipment is also inadequate and often, through said lack of intercommunication, useless;

"And whereas shipping is largely dependent for protection on the good offices of the United States Government;

"Be it resolved that the Rotary Club of Victoria go on record as favoring immediate representation being made to the Federal Government that positive and reliable telegraph or telephone communication be installed between the lighthouses and shore points of Bamfield and Ucluelet, and that a staunchly-built and well-powered vessel be placed at some suitable point, and that this vessel be equipped with modern life saving apparatus;

"And be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, the Department of Naval Defence, to the Premier and members of the Federal Cabinet, and to the Senators and members representing British Columbia in the Federal Parliament;

"And be it further resolved that a committee be appointed to interest the Chamber of Commerce and other organizations in this city."

MURDER MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

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says—and then there was the shooting. That doesn't look like a hold-up to me," said Sergeant O'Leary last night.

Another view is taken by Chief of Police John Fry.

A Novice Stick-Up Man

"Suppose, as his friends say, Lorenz had got into an argument with a hold-up man," said the Chief. "It's pretty safe to say the hold-up man was a novice. A professional would never have tackled a boy who worked in a bank, except on pay day, and probably he would have tackled bigger game even then. But suppose this novice hold-up man met with resistance and Lorenz refused to give him anything. By the time they were finished the argument the hold-up man would realize that Lorenz could identify him. Isn't it plausible that as he moved away, highly excited, the hold-up man would shoot Lorenz in order to cover up his tracks and then run away, afraid to rifle his victim's pockets because of the noise of the revolver shot and the boy's cry afterwards?"

An effort was made to link up the crime with the theft of a revolver on Tuesday from the window of a Store Street second hand store, but that was abandoned when it was found that the stolen weapon was of .32 calibre, while the fatal shot was fired from a .38.

The bullet passed through a buttoned-up woolen overcoat, the lapel of a grey tweed suit coat and two shirts. There was no trace of the bullet having burnt the clothing, and there would have been such a trace had the shot been fired from a distance of less than six feet, according to the police.

Mistaken Identity?

Perhaps it was a case of mistaken identity. That portion of Redfern Street is intensely dark at night, the nearest light being 150 feet away at the intersection with Cowan Avenue. Two vacant lots covered with broom and oak trees adjoin the sidewalk where Lorenz was shot down. Perhaps the murderer was waiting for someone else. But how does that account for the preliminary dispute? They believe that the assailant, whoever he may have been, was out to get Lorenz or else no one in particular.

The police give little credence to stories that a maniac may have been at large and that Lorenz fell a victim to an attack by someone with a crazed brain. Residents in the Gonzales Hill neighborhood who wrote to the papers recently, complaining of indiscriminate shooting at night, intimated that the Wednesday night murder may have been the work of the same gun. Neither the city nor Oak Bay police received any reports of the Gonzales Hill shooting, however, and therefore they are not regarding the theory seriously.

Not Maniac's Work

Besides, it was shown that dogs were the intended victims of the Gonzales Hill shooting. Mr. Alan H. S. Colquhoun, of 2130 Oak Bay Avenue, said he had heard reports of revolver firing at night between the hours of 11 and 12, but he had heard nothing of the kind for more than two weeks.

Dr. H. H. Hare, who lives at 1530 Monterey Avenue, said he had been alarmed by shooting at night, but he suspected that big guns were responsible.

Other than Mr. Muckle and his wife, apparently the only person who heard the firing of the shot which killed Lorenz was Victor Gravlin, of 1937 Oak Bay Avenue.

"I was just going to sleep, between 11:30 and 11:45, when I heard a sharp report, followed by a cry," said Mr. Gravlin. "I thought at first of getting out of bed and investigating, but I concluded that the noise was merely the backfiring of an automobile, so I decided to go to sleep."

Police Commissioner Walter E. Staneland, working independently, carried on an investigation during the day, and made numerous inquiries in an attempt to locate the murderer.

With the police baffled, several amateur workers volunteered their services and joined in the man hunt, but investigations of the clues offered in each case proved of no use.

Wednesday being the last day of the month, employees of the bank worked in the evening in order to balance their books, and Lorenz was among those who stayed at his desk until late. He left the bank in company with Kenneth Miller, a fellow bank clerk, who saw him board an Oak Bay street car a few minutes later.

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Squirrel Peanut Butter, 5-lb. tin for	99¢
Orange Pekoe Ceylon Tea, per lb.	50¢
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Baldwin Apples, No. 1, per box	$2.25
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PORTRAIT PAINTER DEAD

PARIS, March 1.—Francois Flameng, the painter, died last night. Flameng gained special prominence as a portrait painter, and had to his credit portraits of such notables as the former Empress of Russia, the Queen of England, and the Princess of Greece. He held the second medal of the Society of French Artists, and was an officer of the Legion of Honor. He was born in Paris in 1856.

City and District

Postponed Sale of Cooking—The sale of home cooking which the Y. W. C. A. planned to hold at Spencer's store on Saturday has been postponed.

Illustrated Lecture—The illustrated lecture on "The Martyrs and Saints of God" will be given tonight in the Reformed Episcopal Church schoolroom, Blanshard Street, at 8 o'clock.

Court Triumph—Court Triumph, A. O. F., will hold a meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Foresters' Hall, to make final arrangements for the St. Patrick's dance.

North Dairy P.-T. A.—North Dairy Parent-Teachers' Association will hold a military 500 tournament in the North Dairy School, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

Women Conservatives—The Women's Progressive Conservative Club will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday next, March 6, at the Balmoral Hotel. Important business will be transacted and all members are requested to attend.

All Chapters Invited—Representatives of all chapters of the Daughters of the Empire are invited to attend the ceremony at the Girls' Central School at 2:15 this afternoon, when the I.O.D.E. pictures will be presented.

Guild of Health—The Bible study class in connection with the work of the Guild of Health, will be held this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in the Cathedral precincts, conducted by the Rev. T. E. Rowe, on the subject, "The Second Coming."

L. A. of St. Andrew's—The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Cathedral are arranging an especially good programme for the usual Irish concert, to be given in aid of the poor in the city, on Saturday evening, March 17, in the Empress Hotel ballroom.

Lenten Lecture—The Dean of Columbia, Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, will deliver an address on the subject, "What Do We Mean by the Higher Criticism?" at this evening's Lenten service in Christ Church Cathedral at 8 o'clock.

Five Hundred at St. Mark's—This evening the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club are prepared to entertain twenty tables of military five hundred in St. Mark's Hall. Councillor Macnicol, of Ward Two, Saanich, is booked to present the prizes to the winning table.

Alpine Club Meeting—The regular monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, March 6, at 8:15, at the Officers' Mess, Work Point Barracks. Mr. Alan J. Campbell will give an address on "Peaks and Passes in the Northern Rockies," illustrated by lantern slides.

Esquimalt P.-T.—The Parent-Teachers' Association of Esquimalt will hold an entertainment in the Lampson Street School on the evening of March 9. On this account, the regular monthly meeting of the organization will not be held until Thursday, March 15.

Dramatic School Recital—The B. C. Dramatic School recital, which was postponed owing to the inclement weather, will take place this evening at 8 o'clock at the New Thought Temple. Those who come late are asked to note that no people will be admitted while speaking is going on.

Lake Hill Concert—The usual monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Community Centre will be held Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. W. G. Gaunce, Craigmiller Avenue. Various reports and matters of interest will be brought before the meeting, and a good attendance is expected.

The Forsyth Saga—Dr. G. G. Sedgewick, professor of English at the University of British Columbia, will give a lecture on the Forsyth Saga in April under the auspices of the Victoria Teachers' Association. Professor Eastman, also of the University of British Columbia, is also to lecture here at an early date on "Developments on the Ruhr."

St. Paul's Ladies' Guild—The Ladies' Guild of the St. Paul's Anglican Church, Esquimalt, will hold a rummage sale at the Rectory, Esquimalt Road, on Thursday, March 8, commencing at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Ricketts, general convener, will be on hand on Wednesday so that those wishing to donate articles may do so. Telephone number 6716R1.

New Sheriff Sworn In—Mr. Herbert Wellington Goggin, newly-appointed sheriff of the County of Victoria, took the oath of his office yesterday before Judge McIntosh in the County Court. There is no present intention to change the personnel of the sheriff's office, according to an announcement made by Mr. Goggin.

Tillicum Voters Meet—The regular monthly meeting of the Tillicum Voters Association will be held on Tuesday next, at Tillicum School, when school matters will be discussed with particular reference to the cutting off of manual training and other frills. It is hoped that one or two trustees will be present. The question of building a community hall will also be discussed, together with street paving and lighting.

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"Hustlers" Banquet—"The Hustlers" of Centennial Methodist Church will hold a banquet at the clubroom in the church building tomorrow evening at 6:30. "The Hustlers" are a body of young people in connection with the church formed some four years ago and have always taken an active part in the work among the younger element. It is now proposed to make the banquet an annual event. Dr. Clem Davies will be the guest of honor and will deliver an address.

Ward Two Liberals—The postponed card party under the auspices of Ward Two Liberal Association will be held in the club rooms, Government and Broughton Streets, on Friday evening, March 9. It was decided that the members of Ward Two would visit the next meeting of Ward Three, which will be held on Tuesday, March 13, and take sides in a debate on "Immigration," which that ward had arranged to have on that date.

Y.W.C.A. Recital—In next Tuesday's Y.W.C.A. recital, in the Empress Hotel ballroom, the selections by Mr. Drury Price will include the D major sonata by Handel, Purcell's air on G string, and a new composition by Dr. J. E. Watson. The numbers sungs by Mr. George Patterson will include "Invictus," by Bruno Huhn, and songs by Handel and Marshall. Mr. Patterson, who is the tenor soloist at the Metropolitan Methodist Church, is well known by music lovers as the possessor of a pleasing tenor voice.

Premier and Ministers Attending—Premier John Oliver and members of the Provincial cabinet and their wives will attend the dance to be given by the Liberal Association in the Armories on Wednesday next, in aid of the tubercular ward of the Jubilee Hospital. Good music and a good dance programme, together with a card tournament in the card-room, is being arranged, and a pleasant evening is assured to all who attend. Tickets for the occasion will be limited in number in order to prevent overcrowding on the dance floor.

Esquimalt Methodist Church—A very pleasant evening was spent in the schoolroom of the Esquimalt Methodist Church on Wednesday evening. A good display of ladies' and children's aprons and a large quantity of home made candies were sold. During the evening a musical programme was given as follows: piano duet, Miss Rowe and Miss S. Thompson; song, Mrs. J. H. Parsons; duet, Misses M. Banyard and Driver; instrumental solo, Mr. C. W. Biggs; piano solo, Mr. Mutch. Refreshments were served by the members of the Ladies' Aid.

Finds Hotel Disorderly—Jeanne Aynard, convicted on a charge of maintaining a disorderly house in the Comus Hotel, Store and Cormorant Streets, was fined $300 by Magistrate Jay in the police court yesterday. Yvonne Cote and Frances La Pont were each fined $25 on a conviction of being inmates of the place. The case came up on remand, following lengthy court proceedings at previous sessions of the court, during the course of which Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., counsel for the defence, denounced as spy methods the action of Chief of Police John Fry, who sent three special constables into the house to obtain evidence.

Strawberry Vale W. I.—The members and friends of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute had a very delightful time at the home of Mrs. Davison, Wellington Road, on Wednesday last. Games and music were the events of the evening. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Brown, Miss Eileen Bennett and Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Herrison ably supplied the accompaniments, which were much appreciated. After refreshments were served, the president, Mrs. Bennett, on behalf of the ladies, thanked Mrs. Davison for her kind hospitality, the wish being expressed that the institute have more of these get-together socials. A silver collection was taken in aid of the hall fund.

For Fishing Tackle—At the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, held on Tuesday, arrangements for a sale of home-cooking, to be held on Saturday, were discussed. The proceeds of this sale will be used for the purchase of fishing tackle for use by the patients at Tranquille Sanatorium, who have expressed a wish to have this equipment. The ladies hope that the public will support their sale. At the close of the meeting the president, Mrs. Thaw, read a letter expressing appreciation of Mrs. Ricketts' services during her term of office as president of the society, and asking her acceptance of a life membership in the auxiliary.

Students Practice Their Art—Judge Lampman indulged in the judicial equivalent of a busman's a holiday last Wednesday evening, when he presided at a mock trial arranged by the Law Students' Society, and held in the Court House. Great interest was manifested by the spectators in the legal adroitness of Messrs. R. Wootton and Boulton, for the plaintiff; and of Messrs. Boulton and Bainbridge for the defendant. Judgment for the plaintiff was given by the learned judge, whose pronouncement was marked by a style somewhat more racy and colloquial than that which characterizes his workaday occasions. Appreciation of the judge's interest in all the professional concerns of the students was expressed in a unanimous vote of thanks.

Alcoholic Particulars—The demon alcohol lurks even in the innocent juices of the kindly fruits of the earth in their seasons, according to the unromantic view they take of these things in the city police court. Mr. D. P. W. Maunsell, appearing in that place yesterday, asked for particulars in the matter of the charge against his client, Toy Fong, as to whom the police allege that he sold intoxicants to two Indians. City Prosecutor Harrison said that the particulars would be that the accused sold apple and cherry ciders to the Indians, and that these beverages were so far inimical to the proper administration of the Government Liquor Act as to contain a strong percentage of alcohol. The charge was remanded until next Tuesday.

Veterans Want Their Beer—Appearing on behalf of fifteen members of the local G. A. U. V. Club, Mr. R. C. Lowe yesterday applied to Magistrate Jay for the return of seventeen barrels of beer seized by the police when the club was raided last year. A conviction of two members of the club had followed as a result of the raid, but counsel argued that the ownership of the beer was not vested in those men and that the Liquor Control Board was now willing that the beer, with the possible exception of one barrel, should be returned. Mr. C. H. Harrison, appearing for the board, obtained an adjournment until today. Magistrate Jay ventured the suggestion that the beer should have matured since its seizure, providing it had been carefully stored in the vaults of the board.

Travel in Foreign Lands—The Portia Society, girls' debating club of the Victoria High School, was fortunate in securing Major J. W. Clark, who gave a very interesting lantern lecture on Wednesday evening in the High School auditorium. The subject was, "Travel in Foreign Lands," which included India, China and Japan. Many beautiful and picturesque scenes were shown, such as Mount Everest and other features of the Himalaya Mountains. Major Clark had also some very fine pictures of the beautiful buildings and temples in India, showing the delicacy and fineness of the architecture. In closing, the lecturer urged the students to go forward and develop Canada's resources. Some fine pictures of the great number of industries in British Columbia illustrated these last remarks.

Community Brotherhood—At a meeting of a special committee, held a few evenings ago, to consider steps for the organization of a community brotherhood in the James Bay district, the draft of the proposed constitution was agreed upon and will be presented at a public meeting in the James Bay Methodist Church, on Tuesday evening next. The members of the committee who were present and took part in the proceedings were: Messrs. Joe. Patrick, Stephen Jones, Justin Gilbert, Whitmore, Waterson, D. A. Fraser, A. C. Kennedy and D. F. Sprinkling, the mention of whose names will suggest the strength of the movement. A list of officers has also been drawn up and will be proposed at the coming meeting. An excellent programme of musical and literary numbers will be given, particulars of which will be announced later.

Old Resident of Rupert Ends Life With Bullet

PRINCE RUPERT, March 1.—The body of J. R. Cody was found early this afternoon in his home on Eighth Street, with a bullet wound through the neck. According to the police, the wound was self-inflicted. Cody was in the transfer business, and was an old-timer here.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 1, 1923.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over this Province, and fair weather is becoming general. Snow is reported on the northern Coast, and also in southern Alberta.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	37	42
Vancouver	42	44
Kamloops	28	40
Barkerville	24	34
Prince Rupert	30	32
Calgary, Alta.	22	34
Winnipeg, Man.	30	44
Portland, Ore.	42	50
San Francisco, Cal.	50	58
Seattle, Wash.	40	42
Penticton	36	50
Grand Forks	35	48
Nelson	35	42
Kaslo	36	42
Cranbrook	34	42
Edmonton, Alta.	30	34
Prince Albert, Sask.	32	40
Regina, Sask.	34	

THURSDAY

Maximum	43
Minimum	38
Average	39
Minimum on the grass	37

Bright sunshine, 8 hours, 54 minutes.
Rain, .12 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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St. Saviour's Rummage Sale on Friday, March 2, at 11 o'clock, at 555 Johnson Street.

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216393—**Tomorrow** (I'll Be in My Dixie Home Again). Harold Harvey.
When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down. Harold Harvey.
19000—**Bees Knees.** Fox Trot. The Virginians.
Peggy, Dear. Fox Trot. The Great White Way Orchestra.
19001—**Who Did You Fool After All?** Fox Trot. The Virginians.
Rose of the Rio Grande. Fox Trot. The Virginians.
19002—**La Paloma (The Dove).** Fox Trot. International Novelty Orchestra.
O Sole Mio (My Sunshine). Waltz. International Novelty Orchestra.
19003—**Ivy (Cling to Me).** Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
I Gave You Up Just Before You Threw Me Down. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19007—**Parade of the Wooden Soldiers.** Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19008—**When All Your Castles Come Tumbling Down.** Fox Trot. Zez Confrey and His Orchestra.
The Lonely Nest. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra.
19009—**Dumbell.** Fox Trot. Zez Confrey and His Orchestra.
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SIX ENLISTED MEN BURNED TO DEATH

MANILA, March 1.—Six enlisted men on the United States destroyer Hulbert, of the Asiatic Fleet, were burned to death yesterday in an explosion in the boiler-room, caused by a flare back of oil. No others were injured.

SAY VIMY GIFT LIKE A REAL ESTATE DEAL

Senators Regret Agreement on French War Gift That Canada Is Required to Maintain Park

OTTAWA, March 1.—Criticism of the form of a gift of land on Vimy Ridge by France to Canada was voiced in the Senate yesterday when the Upper House adopted the resolution expressing Canada's gratitude for the gift of a memorial park of 250 acres.

Sir James Lougheed, opposition leader, Senator G. D. Robertson and Senator Lynch-Staunton expressed regret that under the terms of the agreement Canada was required to maintain the land as a park "or it would revert to the ownership of the French Government." This, they asserted, was "too much like a contract between real estate men." Senator Casgrain said under the international law all France could do was to give Canada use of the property in perpetuity.

Senator Dandurand, leader of the Government, regretted criticism of the agreement, and said the French Government had taken the attitude that Canada must not buy when France could give.

Thankful for Gift

Senator Dandurand, who moved adoption of the resolution, said Canada was thankful to France for her generous gift. It was fitting that the chief monument should stand on Vimy Heights, where Canadian soldiers had won such a memorable victory. No nobler cause could have drawn Canadians into the conflict, and the setting aside of a piece of land in memory of those who had given their lives would bring them nearer to Canada and their sorrowing relatives nearer to them.

Sympathy With France

Senator Beaubien, seconding the resolution, said he believed the sympathy of the Canadians went out to the people of the devastated regions and that the great majority of Canadian people saw with resentment, if not with anger, that Germany, the aggressor, was prospering, practically free of unemployment and of bankruptcy, and yet by trickery and evasion seeking to escape payment of her just obligations. France, although bled white, was facing her ruthless foe and taking steps to force him to pay.

The resolution was adopted.

ONTARIO SETTLEMENT SCHEME IS HELD UP

Delayed While Differences With Britain on Chaperonage of Young Boys and Girls Are Settled

LONDON, March 1.—Some differences of opinion have arisen between the overseas settlement committee which has charge of migration from Great Britain to the Dominions under the Empire Settlement Act, of 1922, and the authorities of the Province of Ontario over the emigration of juveniles. The question of issue is with regard to sending of boys and girls in units of twenty.

The British authorities contend that these ought to go out under the direct supervision of a British master and mistress, who will be responsible for their welfare when placed on farms. The representatives of the Ontario Government, on the other hand, maintain that this supervision should be of a Canadian character from the outset, consisting of those who are thoroughly accustomed to the country life of Ontario.

It is admitted that much can be said in support of either view of the question, but at the present moment neither the overseas settlement committee nor the Ontario authorities have been able to reach a common ground with regard to the matter.

Differ on Houses

There is a difference of opinion also on the question of houses being provided for farm workers from Great Britain, as called for under the Empire Settlement Act. The overseas settlement committee is inclined to insist that if it pays 50 per cent of the cost of such houses they shall be entirely reserved for British emigrants.

Ontario, however, maintains that as long as she takes British families and settles them contentedly, and at the same time does not build more houses than are represented by the families taken from Great Britain, she is entitled to exercise her own discretion as to who shall live in these houses.

In consequence of these differences the overseas settlement scheme is being temporarily held up. They are being discussed in a friendly spirit, however, and it is regarded as most likely that a satisfactory compromise will be arrived at shortly.

Hitch in Order Closing Lethbridge Liquor Houses

LETHBRIDGE, March 1.—"Business as usual" is the figurative sign out on the door of Lethbridge export liquor houses this morning, the day on which the liquor firms were to close up shop. There appears to be a hitch somewhere and the regular routine of business is to proceed today, it was stated late last night, although the liquor stocks in the city are not large at the present time. It develops that the order-in-council passed by the Alberta government has not reached Ottawa to receive endorsement. The date for closing export houses must be fixed at Ottawa, not Edmonton. The date will not be fixed, therefore, until March 14, and in the meantime the export firms are rejoicing in another lease of life.

DENOUNCES GAMBLING

LONDON, March 1.—In an attack on gambling and a denunciation of coupon betting on football games through the newspapers, Rev. Dr. Robert Horton, of Hamstead, at the annual assembly of the National Council of Evangelical Churches at Bristol today, said he was horrified to see that incentives to gambling made on behalf of London hospitals by placards offering prizes of £7,500 for five shillings a chance. "It is dangerous and deadly," he declared, "and discredits charity itself."

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—3rd Floor

Boys' Blue Serge Knickers

A new shipment just arrived. English made, from fast dye all-wool serge. Cut in straight bottom style and lined throughout, finished with belt loops. Sizes 5 to 13 years. Price $1.95

Boys' Jerseys $1.35 and $1.75

Wool and Cotton Mixture Jerseys, in button shoulder style, with elastic rib, band collar and cuffs. Choice of blue, brown and saxe.
Sizes 22 to 26. Price $1.35
Sizes 28 to 32. Price $1.75
—Main Floor

Notion Specials for Today

Bunch Tape
Best Quality English Manufactured Cotton Tape, in bunches; contain 12 pieces tape from ½-in. to 1-in. wide. Special at, per bunch ..... 23¢

Mending Wool
Best Quality English Darning Wool, on cards, 20-yard lengths. Comes in all colors, including white and black. Special at, per dozen cards ..... 25¢

80-Yard Spools Sewing Silk
Belding's 80-yard spools Sewing Silk, in all shades, also black and white. Special at, 2 spools, 25¢

Lingerie Braid
Good Quality Lingerie Braid Set, contains 3 yards narrow braid and one yard of wide braid for shoulder straps. Comes in white, pink and blue. Per set ..... 35¢

Lingerie Silk Braid
Best Quality Silk Lingerie Braid, of English manufacture. Comes in 8-yard lengths, in blue, mauve and white. Suitable for all lingerie purposes. Per piece, 45¢

¼-lb. Boxes Pins
Contains ¼-lb. Best Hard-Drawn Brass Pins, assorted short whites. Per box ..... 50¢

Knitting Pins
Erinoid Knitting Pins, in long lengths, sizes 4, 5 and 6. Come in assorted colors. Per pair, 45¢

Steel Knitting Pins
Brass lined. Come in fine, medium and coarse sizes, for knitting sweaters, hats, etc. Per pair ..... 45¢
—Main Floor

Low Prices on Women's and Children's Quality Hosiery

Women's Cashmere Hose
English All-Wool Fancy Ribbed Hose, with seamless, reinforced feet and narrow hemmed elastic tops. Come in coating, putty, nigger, champagne and navy. Sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Per pair $1.25

Women's Heather Mixture Hose
All-Wool Heather Mixture Hose, with fashioned legs and fully reinforced seamless feet. Choose from brown and green heather, with colored clocks. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair, $2.00

Women's Fibre Silk Hose
Fibre Silk Hose, with reinforced, seamless feet and wide hemmed tops. Come in brown, white and black only. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair $1.00

Women's Silk Hose
Heather Mixture Silk Hose, with wide hemmed tops, fashioned legs and seamless reinforced feet. Come in blue and white, brown and tan, navy and green, navy and natural, also cordovan and natural. A very smart hose to wear with the Spring sporting costume. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair $1.25

Children's Hose
All-Wool Three-Quarter Socks, made from fine quality wool, in mole color with fancy roll tops. A splendid wearing sock, having seamless legs and fully reinforced feet. Sizes 6½ to 9. Per pair ..... 95¢

Children's Heather Hose
All-Wool Three-Quarter Heather Hose for children, with seamless legs and fully reinforced toes and heels, in light and dark lovat shades, with rolled tops of self color.
Sizes 4 to 6½. Per pair ..... 69¢
Sizes 7 to 10. Per pair ..... 89¢
—Main Floor

Aluminum Specials for Today

Two-Quart Aluminum Double Boilers, large size Aluminum Colanders, with riveted handles and feet, Aluminum Double Roasters, five-cup size Aluminum Percolators with panelled sides, three-quart straight Aluminum Saucepans, with lid, four-quart Convex Aluminum Saucepans. All grouped to sell at, each,

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Aluminum Teapots 1¼-qt. size. Price $2.25
Three-Quart Aluminum Kettles, With Inset Special for today only, each $2.50
Aluminum Graduated Measuring Cups Price ..... 20¢
Aluminum Cookie Cutters In various shapes. Price is ..... 15¢
Aluminum Egg Cups Price ..... 15¢
Aluminum Jelly Moulds Price ..... 10¢, 25¢, 40¢
Aluminum Funnels Price ..... 25¢
Aluminum Pudding Pans 1-quart size. Price 40¢
Aluminum Teaspoons Per dozen ..... 50¢
Aluminum Dessert Spoons Per dozen ..... 75¢
Aluminum Table Spoons Per dozen ..... 85¢
Aluminum Dessert Forks Per dozen ..... 75¢
Aluminum Table Forks Per dozen ..... 90¢
Aluminum Pie Servers Price ..... 20¢
Aluminum Basting Spoons Extra large. Price 35¢
Aluminum Mixing Spoons Price ..... 35¢
Aluminum Cake Turners Price ..... 25¢ and 35¢
—Lower Main Floor

Fashionable Gloves
For Spring Wear

Women's Kid Gloves
Fine Quality French Kid Gloves, in 8, 12 and 16-button lengths, suitable for wearing with the new afternoon frocks. Come in tan, brown, grey, black and white, over-sewn seams and with self points.
8 buttons, per pair $3.95
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16 buttons, per pair $5.95

Women's Suede Gloves
"Empress" Suede Gloves, pique sewn, with silk embroidered points and two dome fasteners. Come in seal brown, beaver, mode and French grey. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Per pair $3.00

Women's French Suede Gloves
Pique sewn, with self points and two dome fasteners. Very suitable for early Spring wear. Come in colors of tan, beaver, grey and pastel. Sizes 5¾ to 7¼. Per pair $1.75

Women's Suede Gloves
Charles Perrin's French Suede Gloves, pique sewn, self points, in colors of brown, tan, beaver, grey and black. Sizes 5¾ to 7¼. Per pair $2.50
—Main Floor

Today's Grocery Bulletin

Hudson's Bay Co.'s The Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 52¢
3 lbs. for $1.53
No. 1 Creamery Butter, lb., 50¢
3 lbs. for $1.47
Finest New Zealand Butter, per lb. ..... 55¢
3 lbs. for $1.62
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... 21¢
3 lbs. for ..... 60¢
Smoked Cottage Rolls, lb., 25¢
Smoked Picnic Hams, lb., 19¢
Sweet Pickle Cottage Rolls, per lb. ..... 24¢
Sweet Pickle Picnic Hams, per lb. ..... 18¢
Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... 25¢
Mild Ontario Cheese, lb., 29¢
Cottage Brand Peanut Butter, per jar ..... 20¢
Hudson's Bay Co.'s Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. ..... 45¢
3 lbs. for $1.30
Special Blend Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. ..... 35¢
3 lbs. for $1.00
Fine Quality Dutch Cocoa, per lb. ..... 17¢
3 lbs. for ..... 50¢
Quaker Brand Choice Quality Pumpkin
No. 2 tin. Special ..... 14¢
3 for ..... 40¢
No. 2½ tin. Special ..... 17¢
3 for ..... 50¢
E. Lazenby's or Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles, in 10-oz. jars, including Chow Chow, Walnuts, Mixed, White Onions. Special, per jar ..... 45¢
Dainty White. Special, per bottle ..... 23¢
Laurel Brand Strawberries, No. 2 tins, Special, 2 tins for $1.00
Extra Choice French Walnuts, "Bordeaux Halves." Special, per lb. ..... 80¢
Dromedary Dates. Special, per packet ..... 20¢

Candy Counter
Fresh Toasted Marshmallows, per lb. ..... 40¢
Chocolate Peach Melba, cream and fruit centres, per lb., $1.00
Rochon's Pecan Creams, per lb. $1.00
Chocolate Peppermint Creams, per lb. ..... 50¢
—Lower Main Floor

Today's Savings in Drug Sundries

Forhan's Tooth Paste, value 60c, 44¢
Squibb's Liquid Petrolatum, value $1.00, for ..... 88¢
Williams' Shaving Cream, double size, value 75c, for ..... 58¢
Salutaire, an after-shaving delight, value 25c, for ..... 17¢
Whalebone Hair Brushes, value $1.50, for $1.18
Fine Tooth Combs, value 20c ..... 13¢
Hot Water Bottles, 2-year guarantee, value $3.25, for $2.25
Tooth Brushes, value 20c, for ..... 13¢
Emulsified Cocoanut Oil, value 35c, for ..... 23¢
Glycerine and Rose Water, 4 oz., 19¢
—Main Floor

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Afternoon Tea from 3:15 to 5:45
Orchestra in Attendance
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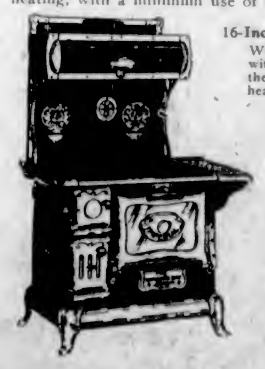

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—4th Floor

Social Events

Government House

Mrs. Walter C. Nichol entertained at a reception at Government House yesterday afternoon, when a number of guests called at the tea hour. Mrs. Nichol received her visitors in the drawing-room, wearing a handsome gown of white canton crepe, elaborately embroidered in black, with long sleeves of black velvet, and a black lace picture hat. The hall of Government House was most effectively decorated with banks of yellow genista, while azaleas adorned the drawing-room, and the tea table was lovely with its vases containing sprays of begonias and maidenhair fern, centred with a large vase of similar flowers.

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Victorians at Del Monte

Golf, always a favorite diversion with society, has been particularly appealing at Del Monte during the Winter months. The many travelers from the East, Canada and other points have joined in the competitions on the links against California players. Sir Frank and Lady Barnard have returned to Del Monte after a trip to South America. Sir Frank is an ardent golfer who finds much pleasure in the Del Monte and Pebble Beach courses. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sayward and daughter, Miss Margaret Sayward, have been at Del Monte since the first of the year and plan on staying through until late Spring. Mr. Sayward and Miss Sayward showed their skill on the links the other day by winning a trophy in a mixed foursome.

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Hostess at Tea Hour

In compliment to her guest, Mrs. W. W. Bradley, of Vancouver, Mrs. J. H. Taylor entertained at a bridge tea on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Moss Street. The tea table, decorated with daffodils and violets, was presided over by Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Mrs. C. Griffith, Mrs. T. M. McKeown and the Misses Jessie Bunn and Annie Wright assisted in serving, while Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson cut the ices. To Mrs. Dickson was given the prize, while the consolation gift was merited by Mrs. Maxwell. Among those present were Mrs. W. W. Bradley, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. Skinner (Edmonton), Mrs. Maxwell (New York), Mrs. J. E. B. Dickson, Mrs. Cyrus Peck, Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. T. M. McKeown, Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Mrs. C. Griffith, Mrs. D. B. Martyn, Mrs. John Cochrane, Mrs. Finland, Mrs Gordon Jamsson, Mrs. Joseph Patrick, Mrs. Down, Mrs. J. E. McDonald, Mrs. George Dean, Miss Jessie Bunn and Miss Annie Wright.

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Leaving for South

Dr. and Mrs. Bechtel and Miss Betty Bechtel will leave Sunday for California, where in San Francisco they will visit with Mrs. Bechtel's sister, Mrs. John Hall, and in Los Angeles with her mother, Mrs. Jones. Dr. Bechtel will return to Victoria in a few weeks' time, but Mrs. Bechtel and her daughter will remain in the South for three months.

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Leaving for Montreal

Miss Alice Goff, who has been staying for some time with her aunt, Mrs. Strangman, The Uplands, is leaving on Tuesday for Montreal, where she will enter the training school of the Royal Victoria Hospital. Upon arriving in Montreal Miss Goff will visit several of her school friends before taking up her training course.

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Honors Victoria Guest

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. H. S. Ives, of Vancouver, entertained at her home in honor of Mrs. J. Sears, of Victoria. The rooms were prettily decorated with pussy willow and daffodils, and the guests included Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Miller, Miss Clarke, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. B. Brynalson, Mrs. H. Idle, Mrs. Royston and Mrs. H. Miller.

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To Reside at Le Touquet

Mrs. Edward Molyneaux, formerly Miss Muriel Dunsmuir, who has been on a trip to India as the guest of Lord and Lady Willingdon, has returned to France. Captain and Mrs. Molyneaux have taken a house at Le Touquet, and Mrs. Percy Stevenson will be their guest for a few months.

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Visits Cannes

Miss Sybil Street, formerly of Victoria, and a sister of Mrs. Lawrence Earle, has just returned to London from Cannes on the Riviera, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harrington White. Miss Elinor Dunsmuir, who left Victoria a few weeks ago, was also a recent visitor at Cannes.

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Will Visit California

Miss Pat Harper, of Hollywood, California, who for the past five months has been visiting Misses Jean Brocklebank and Frances A. Mellis, is leaving for her home Sunday. She is accompanied by her friend, Miss Frances A. Mellis, who is to be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Harper for an indefinite period.

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Convalescing at Hospital

Mr. Eric Walker, who is still a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, is making most satisfactory progress. His mother visited him yesterday and was most pleased at his appearance. He will not be able to go home, however, until the week after next.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs H. A. Ross entertained at a couple of bridge teas this week, best home to her friends on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons in her beautiful home on Runnymede Avenue.

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Magazine Material

Mr. John Nelson, of Vancouver, is in the city for a couple of days. He has visited Victoria for the purpose of securing data for a series of magazine articles which he has under preparation.

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Farewell Tea

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Rupert Vaughan entertained a few friends at the tea hour. Mrs. Vaughan intends leaving in the near future to join her husband at Ocean Falls.

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Returning to England

Lady McLaren Brown, who has been spending the Winter with her sister, Mrs. C. E. Neill, Montreal, is returning to England in the middle of March.

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Returns to Vancouver

After visiting Mrs. James Dunsmuir at Hatley Park for the past few weeks, Mrs. W. F. Brougham has returned to her home in Vancouver.

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From Chemainus

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anketell-Jones, of Chemainus, are spending a few days in Victoria, and are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Visitor Entertained

Another of the week's hostesses was Mrs. Homer-Dixon, Moss Street, who entertained at the tea hour in honor of her guest, Mrs. Phillips, of Winnipeg.

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Vancouver Visitor

Mrs. Frank Adams, of Vancouver, is spending a few days in the Capital.

NANAIMO

Visitor From Scotland

Mrs. W. C. Glenesk and Miss G. D. Sinclair are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Wilson, Esplanade. Miss Sinclair was a delegate from Wick, Scotland, at a recent W. C. T. U. convention held in Philadelphia and Toronto. After visiting British Columbia, Miss Sinclair will leave for California for a few months' visit before returning to her home in Scotland.

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G. W. V. A. Whist Drive

The Great War Veterans gave one of their popular whist drives Tuesday evening, at which the following won prizes: Ladies, first, Mrs. Dowie; second, Mrs. Rodgers; third, Mrs. Neill. Gentlemen, first, Mr. J. D. Hill; second, Mr. Fred Nash; third, Mr. John Webber.

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Hostesses at Party

The Misses Eileen and Lila Booth, Prideaux Street, were the hostesses at a very pleasant party on Monday afternoon, when about twenty of their young friends were entertained for several hours with games, music and refreshments.

SIDNEY

Social Club Entertainment

The Sidney Social Club held its usual weekly card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Veitch on Wednesday night. There were seven tables of players, the prizes being won by, first prize table, Mrs. A. Critchley, Mrs. O. McMullen, Mr. R. MacAuley and Mr. J. Hambley; consolation, Mrs. R. MacAuley, Mrs. S. Harrison, Mr. W. Veitch and Mr. P. Coleman. The hosts for the evening were Messrs. W. May, Mike McClure and Blosson. After supper a business meeting was held. A letter was read from the Board of Trade asking the club to send three delegates to a meeting to talk over the building of a community hall. Messrs. J. Hambley, J. Gilman and J. Roberts were chosen as delegates. It was decided to hold a military five hundred drive on March 16. Reserved tables can be obtained upon application to Mr. A. Critchley. It was also decided to hold a farmers' dance on April 4. Further arrangements will be announced later.

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Farewell Surprise Party

A most enjoyable evening was held at Beach House on Tuesday when forty friends gathered for a surprise party to Mr. and Mrs. T. Woodward, who are leaving the district. Dancing and cards were enjoyed by the guests, Mrs. W. Whiting kindly supplying the music for the dance. Supper was served by Mrs. A. Critchley, convener, assisted by Mrs. W. Harding and Miss Grace Simister, after which Mr. G. Heal, on behalf of the company, presented Mrs. Woodward with a pyrex casserole, which was accepted gracefully. The fun was kept up until a late hour.

COLWOOD

Successful Dance

All the dancers in the hall on Wednesday night were delighted with the excellent music supplied by Messrs. Gould Schofield (piano), Albert White (violin), and John Goodall, at the drums. The social committee of the Women's Institute was responsible for the supper arrangements, and the profits will be devoted to the hall piano fund. Announcement was made to all present that a similar dance would be held in a fortnight's time, i.e., Tuesday, March 13.

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Progressive Whist

Another pleasant time was spent on Wednesday evening by the Social Club playing progressive whist in the hall. The game of Murray was conspicuous among the prize winners, no less than three of that family carrying off prizes. The result was as follows: First lady's prize, Mrs. Murray; booby lady, Miss A. Murray; first gentleman's prize, Mr. Murray; booby gentlemen's prize, Pat Parker.

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Recovering

Captain James, who has been ill for the last fortnight, has now recovered sufficiently to get about again.

LANGFORD

Card Party Arranged

The social committee of the Women's Institute announced that Mrs. Henry Pike, Goldstream Road, has offered her home for a card party on Wednesday, March 7. This will be the first of a new series run under the auspices of the W.I., and a progressive five hundred game will be played for this evening, and a ballot taken on which is the favorite game for future sessions, i.e., whist or five hundred? Play will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Engagement of Royal Couple in Italy

PRINCESS YOLANDE

COUNT DI BERGOLA

Princess Yolande of Italy and her future husband, Count Charles di Bergola. This is one of the first pictures of the Count to reach this country since their engagement was announced.

GOLDEN WEDDING OF MR. AND MRS. W. GREIG CELEBRATED MONDAY

The Douglas Street Baptist Church was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Monday evening, on the occasion of the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. William Greig's golden wedding. Among those present were the following old-time friends from Red Deer, Alta.: Mr. and Mrs. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Pears, Mrs. Strickland and Mrs. Barner.

Dinner was served at 6:30, the ladies of the church being in charge. A large three-tier wedding cake occupied the centre of the table, besides which beautiful potted plants and white carnations made artistic floral decoration.

During dinner the young people of the church gave a delightful programme, Mr. Hill and Miss M. Barr giving vocal selections; Miss B. Parker, violin solo; the Misses Elde and Maud Parker, a duet; an anthem was sung by the choir; an elocutionary number by Miss B. Parker; Alfred and Dan Pearman and Messrs. Fred Larkan and Jack Stevens, duets. The church organist and Miss Redman were the accompanists. A toast to Mr. Greig was proposed by Mr. Mackrette, on behalf of the gentlemen, and one to Mrs. Greig, on behalf of the ladies, by Mr. Reason.

Rev. Mr. Redman, pastor of the church, presided. He presented Mr. Greig with an illuminated address, and Miss Standish presented Mrs. Greig, on behalf of the ladies, with a purse of gold, she having been previously presented with a beautiful floral tribute by Miss Edna Pearson. Mr. Greig responded for both. The meeting closed with the singing of the hymn, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

DEATH ANNOUNCED OF LORD WEARDALE

LONDON, March 1.—Lord Weardale, ex-president of the Interparliamentary Union, died at the age of 76. As Philip James Stanhope he was a member of the House of Commons for nearly twenty years, 1886-1906.

EXPLORER GRANTED DEGREE

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 1.—Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, was one of the 151 men who have been granted degrees in the mid-year award at Harvard University, it was announced last night. He was granted a degree of Master of Arts. Stefansson was a student of anthropological subjects at Harvard between 1903 and 1906.

WEST END PLAYERS STAGE PANTOMIME

"Dick Whittington and His Cat" Enable Capable Cast to Illustrate Their Histrionic Ability

Members of the West End Players deserve great credit for the splendid production of "Dick Whittington and His Cat," which they presented last night for the first time at Semple's Hall, Victoria West. The audience was enthusiastically appreciative of the excellent pantomime, and each actor received sincere applause.

The cast, which includes over twenty-five actors, evinced the good training received by the director, Mr. John Darbyshire, and the five acts run with a pleasing smoothness. Between the acts there are turns, termed specialities, which entertain the audience, and not a single moment of the entire evening is heavy with dullness or monotony.

The pantomime is adapted from the famous story of Dick and his cat, and the play is further enhanced by songs and dances, admirably carried out by the West End Players. The pantomime will be repeated tonight and tomorrow, and already a large demand for tickets has been received at the box office.

Clever Cast

Miss Margaret Warner plays the part of Dick Whittington with convincing charm, and Mr. R. J. Young appears as Fitz Warren, a London merchant; Mr. A. C. Hudson is very fine in his role of the Captain, and Miss Norma Kenny is delightful as Alice, the merchant's daughter. To Mr. Kenneth Darbyshire is allotted the part of The Cat, so important a character in the story, while Mr. Will Cobbett takes the role of Cook. Mrs. A. C. Hudson is seen as the Slavey. The chorus is composed of servants and sailors, who add much to the general effect of the play, and are picturesquely portrayed by Winnie Allan, Doris Baker, Louie Maze, Alice Rife, Edith Barf, Lillian Baker, Evelyn Harris, Reginald Allan, Reuben Hardy, Doreen Davie, Mona Jewel, Mary Foyer, Margaret Foyer, Mary Silk, Rosemaire Blackstad, Nelly Lofts and Marjory Colby.

Specialties Introduced

The specialties include the Sailors' Hornpipe, under the direction of Mrs. Thurlow Lowry, and is danced during the production, while the Spanish Dance, directed by Mrs. B. G. Ruddock, takes place in Act 3, during Dick's dream. The Grey Bonnet is directed by Mrs. V. W. Merryweather and takes place between Acts 1 and 2, while the Minuet, directed by Mrs. B. G. Ruddock, is staged in an anteroom of Fitz Warren's home.

Additional attractions are a coon specialty, enacted between the acts, by Messrs. S. Anfield and T. Pollard, and several solo dances and vocal solos which take place during Dick's dream in Act 3. Little Baby Edna more than delights the audience by her artlessly graceful pas seul, as does little Rosemarie in another dance. Miss Bernice Ruddock and Miss Nancy Green perform an attractive Russian dance, which is heartily applauded, and vocal solos by Mr. Will Cobbett, "I Am Waiting," and "I Know I Am Beautiful," round out a particularly pleasing programme.

The orchestra is quite a feature of the performance, the violinists being Messrs. P. Rife, J. Corkel, V. Taylor, W. Bloomfield; clarinet, B. Mars; cornet, W. Simpson; drums, D. Pullen, and piano, E. Warner.

Pursuant to the aims of the society, "to help charity," the Players will donate the proceeds to philanthropic work, and the churches of the West End will benefit by the popular pantomime, which will be repeated tonight and tomorrow at Semple's Hall.

CO-OPERATIVE UNION OF BERRY GROWERS

At a meeting of the growers' committee of the new Berry Growers' Co-operative Union of British Columbia, held at the offices of the B. C. Berry Growers' Association, Ltd., Vancouver, on February 28, a provisional board of thirteen directors was appointed as follows: Mr. H. M. Eddie, representing Chilliwack and Agassiz; Mr. H. L. Perkins, representing Sumas to Surrey; Mr. S. Riches, representing Richmond, Burnaby and Burquitlam; Messrs. H. P. Simpson and R. A. Hamilton, representing the district from Pitt River to Stave River; Messrs. M. MacLean and R. E. Knight, representing the district from Stave River to Harrison River; Mr. E. Doberer, representing Salmon Arm, Armstrong and Okanagan centres; Mr. O. J. Wigen, representing Creston and Wynndel; Mr. W. F. Somers, representing Gordon Head; Mr. C. Oldfield, representing Keating; Mr. W. C. Shelly, representing Cowichan, Parksville and Courtenay; Mr. W. H. Robertson, representing the Provincial Government. These representatives will act as provisional directors and will complete details in connection with incorporation. At a later date meetings will be held in the different centres, when the growers themselves will be given the opportunity of electing their representatives to the permanent board of directors of the new union.

Only one newspaper interview has ever been secured from Eleanora Duse, the great Italian actress.

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Robin Hood Rolled Oats, large carton	24c	Nice Mild Cured Breakfast Bacon (by the piece). per lb.	35c
Chiver's Old Country Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	75c	Fine Orange Pekoe Tea, 3 lbs. for $1.30; or, per lb.	45c
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Squirrel Peanut Butter, per lb.	20c		

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REV. DR. CLEM DAVIES INVITED TO REMAIN

Popular Preacher Requested to Continue His Ministry at Centennial Methodist Church

Rev. Dr. Clem Davies, who during his ministry at Centennial Methodist Church has become very popular with the congregation, has been invited to become the pastor for the ensuing year.

The board of the church made inquiry of Rev. J. W. Saunby, D.D., who held an invitation to the pastorate of the church, as to whether, in view of these conditions, he desired to stand by his acceptance of the invitation. To this Dr. Saunby replied that he had no disposition to hold Centennial to this invitation, but as all the initiatives had been, from the beginning, on the side of the church, it should take the responsibility of rescinding the initial resolution of invitation.

Action was accordingly taken by the board at a meeting held last evening, and an invitation has now been tendered to Dr. Clem Davies to the pastorate during the coming conference year.

If Dr. Davies accepts the call which has thus been extended to him, a small committee, which has been appointed for that purpose, will endeavor to arrange for the affiliation of Dr. Davies with the British Columbia Methodist Conference, of which he is not at present a member. No serious difficulty is anticipated in arranging this matter, and the friends and adherents of the church no doubt will be pleased to learn that there is every likelihood that the ministrations of Dr. Davies, which have been so successful during his temporary pastorate of the church since the decease of the late Rev. J. L. Batty, will be continued for some time to come.

ANNUAL CONVOCATION OF MASONS AT TORONTO

TORONTO, March 1.—What men want today is not talent alone, but a purpose; not the power alone to achieve, but a will to labor, for without labor nothing prospers, said Comptroller R. H. Spencer, Grand Z, in the course of his inaugural address at the sixty-fifth annual convocation of Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Canada, which opened here yesterday. He gave a review of capitular work done the last year and made reference to the policy to organize grand chapters for Manitoba and Saskatchewan, which had the hearty support of the grand chapter in Ontario. He said the matter had been referred to a special committee.

DIVORCED FROM RADICALS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 1.—The Minneapolis Trades and Labor Assembly at a meeting here last night adopted a resolution pledging the assembly to divorce itself from the Workers' Party, the Communists, Industrial Workers of the World, and similar organizations. The vote was 44 to 7.

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The Eternal Eve

By May Christie

Complex Life

An hour later Eve set off for a solitary walk. She wanted adequate time for reflection, for—to tell the truth—she was rather ashamed of the temper she had shown.

"But the men are enough to drive one crazy!" she was saying to herself.

Life really was extraordinarily complex. There were so many different paths to choose. If one could only look into the future, foretell the ending.

How domineering John had grown! If there had been any special strength about him, any vital quality, she could have forgiven him.

But his domineering instincts were the outcome of sheer obstinacy and pig-headedness.

"I've twice his brains!" Eve assured herself, with all the frankness of soliloquy.

John thought that a woman's sole ambition was to marry.

She would show him something very different. She wasn't going to be a clinging vine—a parasite. There were fields in which she could—and would—succeed.

Writing, for instance! Heavens, what a fund of "copy" she had gleaned! The situations, the "denouements" she had lived through—she would turn them all to excellent account!

The great thing was to case one's heart in armor—never to really unlock the doors—to look on life as a sporting proposition, and the devil take the hindmost!

What was it the airman had said to her today about the "trump cards" that she held? He had hurt her deeply—but she wasn't ever going to let herself be hurt or sensitive again. He had accused her of being heartless, vain, coquettish. But at the same time he had admitted all her powers.

Well, she would use them!

It was true what Mary had assured her, that a woman who falls in love is hopelessly handicapped. She (Eve) had proved the truth of this. To be genuinely appreciated, one must never fall in love.

She had gambled—heavily—and she had lost. Had not Capt. Roscommon proved it? The absurd infatuation he had caused in her—why, it was obvious that he didn't want her any more!

Eve walked along the moorland road, a pretty, slender figure of a girl, with moody eyes that failed to see the beauty around her.

What a humbug life could be! She smiled a little ruefully. One long-drawn camouflage! Even her friend Mary playing ridiculous, foolish little parts!

She pulled herself together. It didn't do to be too introspective. Nor to indulge in self-pity. If love and faithfulness weren't appreciated—she recollected Mary's words—she could at least amuse herself.

Her pretty face began to brighten. Her thoughts roved back to various heroines of history who had swayed the hearts of men. Ninon de l'Enclos—admired at eighty! What was the secret of her charm?

Eve's soft lips framed the one word:

"Fickleness."

Some courtier had reproached the frail Ninon, saying:

"Madam, you swore to love me for eternity—and you have only loved me for three months!"

To which the fickle one had answered:

"Sir, you are wrong. I have loved you for three months—that is an eternity!"

Eve smiled again, ruefully. Yes, this was the sort of spirit men appreciated.

But tears had gathered in her pretty eyes.

A little furry rabbit ran across her path. The air was frosty, and the leaves went crackling under his scampering feet. Behind the woods the sun shone large and rosy, low in the heavens.

Mosses of every color clung around the leafless trees. Quaint little streams flowed sleepily through quiet meadows.

And gradually a kind of peace stole into Eve's troubled consciousness.

She found a little cottage, where she had some tea.

It was a quaint, shabby abode, but the placid contentment of the old woman who lived there shone in her pleasant, wrinkled face as she bustled around, making preparations for the unexpected guest.

"Aren't you lonely, living here?" said Eve.

The old woman seemed surprised.

"I'm that busy I haven't time to think about it," she answered. Then she added quietly:

"I have a great deal to be thankful for."

Eve wondered vaguely what the cause for gratitude could be. Loneliness and poverty and old age—the combination seemed rather dreadful!

She was crippled with rheumatism, too. And yet that placid look remained.

"Why do you live alone?" asked Eve.

"My old man died two years ago," came the simple answer, "and I lost my two sons in the war."

"Oh, I'm so sorry," said the girl impulsively, regretting her thoughtless question.

"I get the old-age pension," said the woman, "and I've a daughter married out in Canada, who sometimes sends me a little money. No, I don't complain."

She watched Miss Eve partake of food.

Then, when she had finished:

"I'm rather good at reading fortunes in tea cups," she said, smiling kindly at the young girl. "Will you let me look at yours?"

She drew her low chair near the window, and scrutinized Eve's cup.

"I see a lover," she began, as Eve had expected. Then:

"He has money—but he isn't the one that you're going to marry."

Eve smiled. All this was familiar ground.

The old woman knitted her wrinkled forehead into deeper lines.

"There's a tall, dark man from overseas—he's the one you care for—but I see trouble ahead—for both of you—a jealous girl"——

Eve started. Then she gave a little laugh of amusement. For was not this the orthodox reading, from time immemorial? Every tea cup in the world, as read by fortune tellers, contained a dark lover from overseas and a jealous girl.

"You'll be able to help him in his troubles, if you care for him a great deal," went on the old woman solemly. It was evident she fully believed in her "occult" powers.

But Eve had heard enough. She paid the woman for her tea—though the latter raised a vigorous protest—then, as it was growing dark, she set off for the camp.

Approaching the precincts of the latter, she decided to take a short cut across the moors.

But distance is deceptive in the half-light; and the way across the moors to the camp was much longer than Eve thought. The paths were not easy to follow; and more than once she had to retrace her steps to circumvent a stream too broad to jump.

As time went on she felt a little nervous. The moor seemed so lonely and quiet, and the tall stones looked so weird and ghostly against the sky.

Why had she come such a distance? The camp lights, twinkling cheerily, seemed far away.

She was passing a clump of undergrowth when suddenly she heard men's voices, talking—and then a sound of footsteps coming near.

Eve's heart beat uncomfortably fast. For something told her these were strangers.

With a quick, impulsive movement she stepped into the undergrowth and remained, almost completely hidden, until the men should pass.

As they drew near she could distinctly hear what they were saying:

"Say, Garrett, we've come a mighty long way to catch him—but I guess we've hit the trail at last!"

A short, unpleasant laugh, more in the nature of a chuckle, followed this remark.

Then the man addressed as Garrett spoke:

"He won't get off this time—in spite of all his bluff—and his good looks."

The short, unpleasant laugh sounded again.

"Guess his day's done!"

"You bet it is!" the other said with a sneer.

Eve, hidden in the bushes, was seized with a sudden, overwhelming fear she could not analyze.

To whom were they referring, these strange men? And whose fate were they holding in the hollow of their hands?

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CANADIAN AUTHORESS WINS COMPETITION

Prize Presented by Hodder & Stoughton to Miss Jean McIlwraith for Story Based on History

MISS JEAN McILWRAITH

The second competition for Canadian authors within the last few months has been brought to a close by the award of $500 made to Miss Jean N. McIlwraith, of Burlington, Ontario, for "The Little Admiral," a story for boys and girls based on historical fact.

As in the case of the prize novel award last Fall, the manuscripts for this contest were judged anonymously—and the judges were in total ignorance of their authorship until after the actual award was decided upon. Although there were by no means as many manuscripts submitted for this prize as for the novel competition, there was, nevertheless, an astounding amount of excellent juvenile matter submitted from all parts of the country—most of it, the work of experienced writers.

One manuscript came from a Canadian resident in New York; another from South Carolina.

Well-Known Author

Miss McIlwraith, winner of this competition, is one of Canada's best-known writers. For years she was a contributor to discriminating periodicals, such as Harpers, The Atlantic Monthly and The Cornhill Magazine. Her first novel was "The Making of Mary." Then, in collaboration with the late William McClellan, she wrote "The Span o' Life," the famous historical novel. After a number of books for boys and girls, chiefly historical, she published "The Curious Career of Roderick Campbell." This was followed in 1912 by her last book, "Diana of Quebec." For some time Miss McIlwraith did editorial and newspaper work in New York City, though as she puts it, "there were 'alleviations' such as two lengthy trips to Europe in which I indulged myself during fourteen years of service, and one glorious month at Quebec, during the tercentenary of 1908," which Miss McIlwraith attended as special correspondent for the New York Post.

Now the authoress is back in Canada, at her home in Burlington, where she declares her chief desire of life is to become an A1 gardener.

Based on Historical Fact

Her prize-winning story, "The Little Admiral," is based upon an actual historical occurrence—the adventure which befell the son of a certain British commander during the naval manouevres in the St. Lawrence just previous to the fall of Quebec. The thought which has dominated the author in presenting the tale is best expressed by herself. "The story has been written not so much for a prize as for a purpose, to wit, the instilling into young Canadians of British extraction more sympathy for their fellow-countrymen, the French, than is usually displayed. Is not how it felt to lose Quebec as well worthy of delineation as how it felt to win it? In my early school days our study of Canadian history centred around the death of General Wolfe. 'They run! They run!'

"'Who run?' asked the dying hero.

"'The French, sir. They give way everywhere.'

"The children of our day grew up believing the French to be a running race. The last war has changed all that, but youngsters of this generation might not be the worse of a passing glance at what the capture of Canada meant to Canadians earlier in the country than their own ancestors."

Two other manuscripts to be contracted for as a result of the competition were "Bee Goodd," a story of the war of 1812, with an international viewpoint, by Mrs. E. A. Taylor, of Toronto, and "The Valley of Color Days," by Miss Helen B. Sandwell, of Inverness, B.C.

Bill to Mark Goods With Country of Origin Discussed in Britain

LONDON, March 1.—How cabbage is to be marked with ineffaceable indications of its native haunts is one of the questions yet unanswered in connection with the providing for the marking of foreign produce which is about to be introduced in the House of Commons. The proposed bill is of such a sweeping nature that every incoming egg would be indelibly stamped with the name of the country of its origin, as would also every cheese and parcel of butter.

The bill is being supported by the agricultural committee of the House, which urges its passage on the ground that no question of protection arises in connection with the measure, and that it is designed solely to prevent fraud. It is maintained that foreign countries will not object to such regulations, as it will stimulate them to send only their best stuff to the British market.

America led the world in wheat production last year with 810,000,000 bushels.

ISLAND BEEKEEPERS PUSHING INDUSTRY

Members of the Vancouver Island branch of the Beekeepers' Association of British Columbia are evidently in earnest in their desire to forward the beekeeping industry and are showing a public-spirited endeavor to put this hitherto neglected industry, as far as the Island is concerned, on a co-operative and sound basis. They are steadily going forward, and every meeting adds to the number of new members. At present the scattered districts in which members reside are a drawback to the full attendance of all members, but these meetings are being arranged as far as passible in centres available to the majority. At the next meeting in Sidney, on Monday, March 5, some very interesting lantern slides will be shown which should prove of great educational advantage and help any who are contemplating a start in beekeeping to take a much more intelligent interest in the subject. The president will welcome any questions relating thereto, and all the help possible will be given to anyone requiring same. Everyone intending to commence beekeeping should make a point of attending this meeting, and even non-beekeepers will be surprised at the amount of useful and interesting information there is contained in the life and work of the honey bee.

MRS. GORDON LECTURES ON CHILD WELFARE

Tolmie Parent-Teachers' Association Hears Interesting Address—Spends Pleasant Evening

An interesting address on child welfare was given by Mrs. J. D. Gordon before the full membership of the Tolmie Parent-Teachers' Association at St. Mark's Hall last night. The speaker was thoroughly versed in all phases of her topic, and was heard with deep attention. She dealt with the child question from the standpoint of both home and school. The teaching of grammar in the classroom was criticized as futile in the latter connection, as the rules of syntax remained to most people a lifelong mystery, despite the instructions of their schooldays.

A hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Gordon was passed by the meeting, following the end of her lecture. The meeting wound up with a musical programme, those participating being Miss Helen Stevenson, song; Misses Cross and Doris Okwell, pianoforte duet; Miss Florence Green, pianoforte solo; Donald Fisher gave a selection on the piano.

The resignation of Mrs. Brown from the Central Parent-Teachers' Association was accepted last night, Mrs. Allan being appointed in her place.

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Largest Crowd of Year Will Witness Contest

TO win or not to win; to get into the play-off or not. That is the question that will be decided tonight at the Willows Hockey Arena, when Seattle and Victoria clash in what will likely prove the fastest and most trying engagement of the 1922-23 season. Eddie Oatman will lead his comrades on to the pond with all the confidence necessary to bag the game safely away, but Pete Muldoon's players are also counting strongly on turning in a victory. Mickey Ion will handle the "battle of the century," and will start the boys in action before a capacity house at 8:30 o'clock sharp.

EDDIE OATMAN

popular skipper of the Cougars, who will lead his followers on to the Willows rink tonight. Everything depends on the performance of the local men this evening as to whether or not Victoria will get a chance to figure in the play-off series and then go after the Stanley Cup.

Never was interest in hockey at such a fever heat in Victoria as it is today, and local fans are keyed to the highest pitch awaiting the clash between the Cougars and the Foyston gang. Victoria railbirds believe that Lester Patrick has the finest hockey aggregation on the Coast, and they will be there to encourage them to victory tonight. The going will be hard, the local boys figure, but they will utilize every art in order to leave the Mets at home and themselves jump into the play-off contests with Vancouver.

Hundreds Welcome Cougars

If anyone thinks that the Cougars have not got a strong array of supporters behind them, he should have turned up at the C.P.R. wharf yesterday afternoon about 1:30 o'clock, when the blue and gold sextette, headed by Manager Lester Patrick tripped off the Seattle boat after completing their tour of the Prairie hockey centres. Several hundred fans thronged the C.P.R. wharf to greet the Victoria tribe, and the enthusiastic cheers and applause that the boys received showed that their fine work on their journey around the Western Canada League had not gone unappreciated. Mayor Hayward expressed his sincere thanks and the appreciation of the city and citizens to the puckchasers for the splendid manner in which they had upheld the reputation of the city.

All the players are considerably leg weary after their trip, and they certainly are welcoming the short rest at home that they have before they jump into the spotlight once again tonight. The boys have felt the strain quite a bit, and, while somewhat tired, they have not lost their enthusiasm and determination to take Seattle's number tonight in a decisive style. The Mets, though, seem to have recovered from their slump, and if they travel at the same form as they did on Wednesday on the American ice they will make the Cougars shake a leg if they hope to gain entrance to the play-off series.

Hopes Victoria Wins

Lester Patrick was full of optimism over Victoria's chances of winning. Although he did not discount the ability of the Metropolitans, he believed that playing before a big crawd of their supporters on their home pond, the Cougars should be able to trim the American bunch. He declared that the Cougars realize full well what is expected of them tonight, and hoped that the players would not disappoint those who had stacked up so solidly behind them during the season.

The Victoria ice dogs would like to show their wares in the world's championship series this year, and they will fight tonight to get into the play-off, after which the next step towards the Cougars' Utopia will be the Coast hockey honors and then right on to the Stanley Cup contest. The boys were agreeably surprised at the reception yesterday, and were convinced that the best way to return the compliment would be to grab the last scheduled hockey match of the year.

Should Be a Merry Mix

If trying will get the Cougars anywhere then Victoria should be able to make the grade tonight. It is a long time since the local squad has figured in a play-off competition, and now that they are so close to the honors they intend doing their utmost to take them. The Willows rink will carry the largest crowd of railbirds that has seen a game here this season, and there should be thrills, excitement and pep from the word go.

JEFFRIES IS BROKE

FORMER HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION IS IN BANKRUPTCY

Liabilities More Than Double Assets —Has Recently Acquired Large Farm Near Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, March 1.—James J. Jeffries, formerly heavyweight boxing champion of the world, yesterday filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court here.

Jeffries listed his total liabilities as $292,183 and his assets at $130,950, of which real estate was valued at $124,500.

His secured claims were given as $38,266; unsecured claims, $98,000; notes and bills "which ought to be paid by other persons," $95,766, and accommodation paper, $10,000.

As security for the notes, given to various Los Angeles banks, he named 640 acres of land near Wasco, in Kern County; a half interest in 43 acres near Dundee, in Los Angeles County, and several city lots. The petition stated Jeffries had recently acquired a large farm near Burbank, a suburb of Los Angeles, where he was making his home.

Girls' Basketball And Grass Hockey

To the Sporting Editor:

Sir,—Anent Miss Stirling's and Miss Hannan's letters on girls' basketball, I think that the latter correspondent has marked down the reasons for the game becoming ultra-rough: Weak umpiring and "barracking" (as it is called in Australia), by the spectators. Amateur games ought not to be a gladiatorial spectacle, but when participants are egged on to indulge in more than doubtful tactics, when others are hissed and abused, it becomes a foregone conclusion that the "game" will degenerate into a free for all, unless severe control be exercised. Next Saturday the representative team from the Mainland comes to Victoria to try conclusions with the local man's eleven at grass hockey. This is one of the very few purely amateur games we have left—no one benefiting financially, from the King, who is the president of the H. A., to the humblest member of one of the 700 clubs affiliated to this organization in England alone. As one of the officials of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club I ask any lovers of clean, manly sport to come to the Jubilee ground next Saturday at 3:45 and to give impartial encouragement to our own team and the visitors. I have played the game in Hamburg on two tours; the attitude of the German onlookers was a treat to watch and listen to—good play on either side was applauded and the utmost courtesy extended to all. Surely, we in Canada, must not sink below this level in our attitude.

PERCY FLETCHER,
Hon. Sec. V.G.H.A.
534 Simcoe Street, March 1, 1923.

Finn Runner Makes Three-Mile Record

NEW YORK, March 1.—Willie Ritola, Finnish-American long distance star, set a new world's indoor record and surpassed the outdoor mark for three miles in defeating Joie Ray, Chicago star, in a handicap run at that distance at the annual games of the Kinghta of Columbus, New York Chapter, last night. Ritola's time was 14:15 4-5.

Jock Gives Gene an Awful Trimming in An Exhibition Match

WEST PALM BEACH, March 1.—Jock Hutchison, former British champion, defeated Gene Sarazen, national open champion, in their eighteen-hole exhibition match at the West Palm Beach Country Club this afternoon. Hutchison turned in a score of 75 and Sarazen 86. Hutchison played consistently throughout the match and made the second nine in par 35, sinking two long putts for birdies. Sarazen was erratic on the greens and was nine down at the end of the match.

DRIVES OVER TRAIN

BELLEAIRE HEIGHTS, Fla., March 1.—Miss Glenea Collett, the national woman's golf champion, played a unique shot today when she played over a moving railroad train. Miss Collett was at the tee just as the train came along. She hit her tee shot straight and far down the fairway, clearing the train by a wide margin.

P.C.H.A. RECORDS

Team Scoring

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Vancouver	59	40	18	1	118	83	33
Victoria	58	16	13	9	85	79	30
Seattle	59	15	14	0	90	97	30

Individual Scoring

	Goals	Asts.	Pts.	Pen.
Frederickson	68	13	48	18
MacKay	57	10	37	43
Cook	19	20	39	51
Foyston	30	7	37	8
Riley	53	4	37	40
Morris	51	5	26	16
Meeking	16	9	34	50
Walker	19	9	31	0
C. Loughlin	15	8	30	16
Duncan	14	5	19	3
Boucher	10	9	18	8
Harris	10	5	10	19
Oatman	10	3	16	53
Skinner	10	5	14	14
Halderson	6	4	10	20
Rowe	7	3	10	47
Briden	7	3	10	33
Denamy	7	2	9	2
Rickey	3	3	6	7
McCarthy	3	1	3	0
Nawall	2	1	0	0
Anderson	0	4	4	0
Delidal	1	0	1	0
Dunderdale	1	0	1	14
Patrick	0	1	1	0
W. Loughlin	0	0	0	14
Cotch	0	0	0	0

Prairie Circuit

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts
Edmonton	26	16	9	1	87	79	31
Regina	26	13	13	0	88	94	26
Calgary	26	12	14	0	87	87	24
Saskatoon	27	7	18	2	78	105	16

CRICKETERS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

VICTORIA CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Prospects Rosy for Successful Season —Secretary's Report of Last Year's Activities

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Cricket Club was held last night in the office of Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co., Sayward Building. There was an excellent attendance of members and friends of the club, and, with most of the old members still available and some new talent promised, the club would appear to have a most successful season ahead of it.

The result of the election of officers for the year was as follows: Patron, His Excellency Lord Byng; honorary president, His Honor the Lieut.-Governor; honorary vice-presidents, Mr. Justice Gregory, Mr. Justice Galliher, Mr. Boscowitz, Mr. Hutchart, Mr. A. T. Goward, Col. Hodgins, Mr. J. C. Lee, Mr. I. S. H. Matson, Mr. Montizambert, Mr. E. W. Musson, Mr. John McAdam, Mr. Fred Pemberton, Mr. G. A. H. Porte, Mr. A. Petch, Mr. St. Barbe, Mr. J. Savannah, Hon. Dr. Tolmie, Mr. J. Virtue, Mr. J. E. Wilson, Mr. J. C. Wilson, Mr. T. Pooley, Lieut.-Col. Winsby, Lieut.-Col. Ridgway Wilson, Sir Richard Lake, Mr. Devid Dolg, Mr. Allister Forbes, Mrs. E. A. Tomalin and Mrs. H. A. Goward; president, Mr. Stewart Williams; vice-president, Mr. R. W. Perry; captain, D. G. W. Coley; vice-captain, Mr. Dugald Gillespie; committee, Messrs. Tomalin, Grant, McAdam, with the president, captain and vice-captain; treasurer, Capt. Coley; secretary, Mr. G. T. Maurice.

Season's Report

Mr. Joseph W. Wallis, the retiring secretary, submitted his report, the main features of which were as follows: During the past season the club played 18 matches, winning 13 and losing 5 and scoring 3,207 runs for 170 wickets, against 2,504 runs for its opponents. The highest total was scored against the Army and Navy, 321 runs, and the lowest, 66, against the Wanderers in the tournament. This game was won by Victoria in the second innings chiefly owing to a splendid effort made by Grant, who scored 81 not out against time, winning the game in the last minute.

Two centuries were scored by Victoria Club members. Capt. Coley made 128 not out against the University School in the first match of the season, and Commander Noble made 136 in the last match of the season. Grant was unfortunate in twice missing the coveted century, scoring a 93 and an 81 not out.

The club was highly honored by the selection of its captain, Mr. Goward, to lead the British Columbia team in the championship games at Calgary. The averages show what a towar of strength Wilkinson and Goward were on the team, these two bowlers bearing the brunt of the attack all through. The averages follow:

Batting Averages

	Inns.	Not Out	Runs	Avge.
Capt. Coley	9	1	214	40.57
Comr. Noble	12	0	371	30.84
G. C. Grant	14	1	386	30.77
R. H. Vaughan	13	1	283	26.73
H. A. Goward	16	2	303	23.31
Geo. Wilkinson	16	0	299	18.68
Verrall	6	0	111	18.50
J. H. Gillespie	8	0	140	17.50
Alex. Martin	13	2	166	15.09
W. A. McAdam	14	2	183	15.25
L. A. Wylie	11	0	135	15.00
W. Barnett	9	4	76	14.00
Major Harvey	7	1	70	11.17
D. L. Gillespie	7	1	50	8.33
J. A. Hobday	14	3	94	7.83
H. A. Tomalin	17	1	117	7.31
G. A. Duncan	6	1	29	5.80
Rev. Comley	5	0	5	4.00

Bowling Averages

	Overs	Runs	Wkts.	Avge.
H. A. Goward	141.4	413	45	7.60
H. A. Tomalin	11	45	6	8.00
Geo. Wilkinson	186.7	850	73	8.49
L. A. Wylie	36	188	16	9.88
Verrall	41.4	195	19	10.26
R. H. Vaughan	62.3	318	34	13.12
J. H. Gillespie	15	48	3	16.33
G. C. Grant	34	102	0	02.40

The following bowled in one match only: D. L. Gillespie took 1 wicket for 8 runs; A. Martin, 4 wickets for 30 runs; J. A. Hobday, 3 wickets for 7 runs; Capt. Coley, 1 wicket for 13 runs.

Herron Will Join Yankee Golf Team

PITTSBURG, March 1.—S. Davison Herron, former United States amateur golf champion, will be a member of the American team which will go to England in May to defend the Walker Cup, his father, Andrew W. Herron, sr., announced here today.

SCHOOL SOCCER RESULT

A football match played yestarday between the Craigflower and Margaret Jenkins school teams was won by the latter by 6 to 0. The losing team was much lighter and deserves full credit for its plucky showing. Mr. Knott refereed.

GENARO TAKES VILLA'S TITLE

American Flyweight Championship Changes Hands After Fifteen-Round Fight in Madison Square Garden

CAPACITY CROWD SEES CHAMPION'S DOWNFALL

Fighting Was Furious at the End, and Mixing Free All Through—Police Have to Escort Boxers From Ring

NEW YORK, March 1.—Frankie Genero, New York, won the American flyweight championship tonight from Pancho Villa, of Manila, Philippine Islands, in a sensational 15-round bout at Madison Square Gardens.

Genaro received the decision of the judges.

The last few rounds were furiously fought and the crowd that filled the historic garden to capacity surged around the ring after the decision was announced. Bluecoats had to clear a way for the boxers. Villa was booed by Genaro's admirers in the gallery as he started for his dressing room.

Fight By Rounds

Round 1—Genaro was first to land a right to the jaw. Several times the New Yorker sprang in like a terrier, rushing the champion to the ropes and sinking his left to the ribs. They exchanged left swings to the head. Both men were cautious and Genaro took what offensive there was.

Round 2—They clinched. Genaro swung wildly several times and then ducked away from the champion's left. Villa was the aggressor in several body exchanges which were even and then bounced off the ropes when Genaro shot a left swing to the jaw.

Round 3—Villa sprang away when Genaro leaped for him. Genaro sunk his left in the Filippino's stomach after a body exchange. Villa was reprimanded for throwing Genaro against the ropes. Villa led a furious exchange in Genaro's corner.

Round 4—Villa landed left jabs to stomach and head and catching Genaro along the ropes pummelled his kidneys. The challenger was warned for butting his head on Villa's chin. Genaro rushed Villa across the ring and the champion toppled outside the ropes. The challenger sent the champion back on his heels with a left to the head. Villa replied with a left that plunged into Genaro's stomach.

Round 5—Both took hard lefts to head and clinched. Genaro rushed Villa to the champion's corner with a repeating left to head and body. The champion landed a fusillade on Genaro's torso. Villa shot left to challenger's jaw. Both were missing frequently.

Round 6—Villa caught Genaro in a clinch and pumped both fists to the challenger's ribs. The Filippino had the best of several other exchanges. Genaro rocked him with a left to the jaw, but Villa came back with a two-fisted attack to the head and body. Villa was booed for the backhanded "rabbit punch."

Round 7—So far the bout was slower than anticipated and about even. Genaro got two stiff lefts to the body and one to the head before Villa could return his right to the head. Villa put his left to the body and jaw. Villa was using the "rabbit" punch until the back of Genaro's neck was red. Both men posed a great deal.

Round 8—Villa took the lead. He hookad his left to Genaro's head and in the clinch landed effectively to body. After rushing the challenger to the ropes the Filippino slowed down and missed several long swings. Genaro caught Villa's jaw with a downward left and then shot his left flush to the jaw. But the champion did not stagger. They were dancing at the ball.

Round 9—They exchanged to the body in a series of clinches. Villa occasionally hooking Genaro's jaw. Genaro staggered Villa with a left to the jaw and Villa sunk his left into Genaro's stomach. Villa swung Genaro around with three short lefts to the jaw. The crowd called for action and the boxers answered with clinches.

Round 10—Again the champion took command with his left to jaw and right to ribs surging in ferociously. Villa drew blood from the flesh under the challenger's left eye, but Genaro counterad him with a wild left. Villa staggered Genaro with a left to the jaw as the round ended.

Round 11—They sprang at each other like tigers and Villa lifted Genaro off his feet with a left to the jaw. The champion began a slashing two-handed attack and Genaro began to clinch. They exchanged left-hand swings to the jaw.

Round 12—After a body exchange Villa rocked Genaro with a right to the jaw and the challenger replied with a left to the jaw that sent Villa reeling to the ropes. Both men were at it hammer and tongs, with the upper cuts and swings. Villa landed half a dozen lefts to the jaw in the last half of the round.

Round 13—Again they jolted each other with lefts to the jaw. Twice Villa rushed Genaro to the ropes and twice Genaro escaped. They exchanged furiously, each digging into the other's body. Villa caught Genaro off his feet and plunged his left to the stomach.

Round 14—They renewed furious mixing and then quieted down. Several times Villa's left caught Genaro flush on the jaw and the challenger swung wildly. Villa missed an uppercut.

Round 15—They sprang at each other and when they mixed dug like triphammers into each other's ribs. Genaro staggered Villa with a right to the jaw and after a respite repeated. Genaro missed. They clinched. Villa slashed his right to the jaw and missed an uppercut. Villa rocked Genaro with a right to the jaw. They paced slowly and the bell found them mixing.

SOCCER GAME OFF

The Jackson Cup semi-final game between the Sons of Canada and the Hudson's Bay team, which was to have been played tomorrow, has been postponed on account of the tragic death of Lionel Lorens, who was the Sons of Canada's centre half-back. The game will probably be played on Wednesday next at 4 o'clock, but the District Governing Board will announce the arrangements definitely later. There will, therefore, be no senior soccer this week.

PICKS FOWLER AS BEST GOALTENDER

SKINNER POULIN SELECTS ALL-STAR COAST TEAM

Puts Clem Loughlin on Defence, and Can See None But Frederickson for Centre Forward

CALGARY, March 1.—Four players from the Vancouver Maroons, three from the Victoria Cougars and two from the Seattle Mets make up the All-Star hockey team that Referee Skinner Poulin has chosen from among the Pacific Coast League clubs, on the showing they made during their interleague games on the prairies.

Poulin, who is official arbitrator of the Western Canada League and a former Coast and National Hockey League star, handled all four games that the Maroons played on the prairies; three of the four that Seattle figured in and three of the four that Victoria played. Frank Patrick selected a prairie loop all-star aggregation after he toured this circuit with the Maroons, and, at the request of The Morning Albertan, Referee Poulin submits his all-star Coast team:

HEC. FOWLER

the man who watches the Victoria cage, whom Skinner Poulin, the chief arbiter in the Western Canada circuit, has chosen for the post of goalie in his mythical all-star team of the Coast League for the 1922-23 season. Poulin's selection is based on the matches in which Coast and Prairie teams participated against one another during the year. Skinner's choice for the goalkeeper will meet with the unanimous approval of local fans, who believe that on the season's play Hec. Fowler has shown better form than either of the other two Coast netminders. Congratulations, Hec.

Goal, Fowler, Victoria.

Defence, Duncan, Vancouver and C. Loughlin, Victoria.

Forwards, Frederickson, Victoria; Foyston, Seattle and Boucher, Vancouver.

Substitutes, Walker, Seattle and MacKay and Cook, Vancouver.

Poulin hands the palm to Fowler for the goalkeeping position. He starred in all four games on the prairies, while Lehman and Holmes both had an off game. He states that Frederickson has no opposition for centre and that his performance on the prairies was marvelous, considering that in the four games he scored seven of the Cougars' 19 goals. He gave Clem Loughlin the preference over Lloyd Cook for the defence, put places the latter among the subs.

WEDNESDAY CRICKET

LEAGUE MEETING CALLED FOR MONDAY WEEK

Big Efforts Will Be Made to Boost Mid-Week Game—Strong Entry Is Expected

A meeting of Wednesday cricketers will be held on Monday, March 12. Previous to this meeting it is hoped that the various clubs will hold their meetings, so that they may be all ready to talk business and get organization well under way at the league meeting.

P. C. Payne, who is the official appointed at the general meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association to take charge of Wednesday League affairs, is very optimistic regarding the prospects for Wednesday cricket here this season. He expects that at least five, and, possibly, more, teams will enter the league, and states that it is hoped to arrange out-of-town games this year with Vancouver, Cowichan, Nanaimo, and, possibly, Seattle, and other clubs, and that everything possible will be done to make the Wednesday cricket interesting and profitable.

FAMOUS BOOKIE DEAD

Gambler Leaves Estate of Half Million—Liquor Is Bequeathed to Missionaires

LONDON, March 1.—Samuel Gamble, a bookmaker, who died recently, left an estate of $566,000, which he had accumulated in his dealings with folks who play the ponies. He bequeathed his stock of liquor to the medical department of the Baptist Missionary Society.

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The Democracy of Golf

Something over a month ago an article by Samuel G. Blythe appeared in a popular periodical. It concerned golfers, a new subject for the author. Since that time writers in various golf publications have taken their fling at the substance of his screed, the length of it and everything else that wounded their sensibilities, but none of them seemed interested in the bit of truth that underlay his jeremiad. He is new to golf; his statements do not generally follow the history of the game, but there was one fundamental truth—one for which I have always stood, and believe in more and more as the years go by. That is, the democracy of the game.

It is the duty of all golfers to keep to this ideal, and more especially the duty of the so-called "good golfers." They should welcome the golfer from the public links even though he defeats them. What does it profit a man to be champion only of those who have inherited a certain income? Sport is better than that.

Blythe is at fault when he tells us the first golf club in the United States was organized on November 18, 1888, in Westchester County, New York. Sometime I am going to tell a waiting public when the first one was organized.

But he is right when he calls our attention to the fact that golf clubs and courses cost too much to keep up, and constantly make over, and that is a crime against sport to drive men and women by increased dues and special assessments from clubs they have helped to support for years. Sometimes it is necessary to make changes, of course—the rubber-core ball has brought about strange results—but there is no doubt that upkeep and changes are making golf a very expensive game in America. I am a firm believer in the idea that public courses should be increased in number, and the private ones kept as reasonable in cost as possible. This does not apply to men, most of them past middle age, who have founded clubs with limited membership in order to protect their small leisure and allow them to enjoy it in healthful exercise. It is among them I have found the most enthusiastic advocate of the public links and the public links golfer. But the necessity of keeping down expenses does apply with great force to the ordinary country club, founded to meet the needs of average players of average incomes. It is a tragedy when a man, loving his game, is forced to drop out of his club because of special assessments for so-called improvements.

Blythe is wrong when he attributes this constant tearing up of golf courses to the two or three "glittering amateurs," in each of these clubs. Possibly, at certain times of my life, I may have been called a "glittering amateur" myself, but I can assure Blythe that no one ever remodeled a golf course because I was dissatisfied with it. I learned golf and practised for many years on a little, flat, nine-hole course slightly diversified by a few old-fashioned bunkers, and I loved it. I have known many "glittering amateurs," and I feel sure that none of them have ever been the cause of a remodeled course. When the powers that were decreed a change, the so-called "glittering amateure" gave the best advice of which they were capable, but that was all.

Neither do I think it is the golf architect who is responsible for the continual and expensive changing golf courses. It is his business to design golf courses, and naturally in the course of business he does everything in his power to increase its volume. It is human nature for him to think any course designed by another man is all wrong. Why shouldn't he? Everyone thinks along his own line. But granting all this I still do not believe that golf clubs feverishly destroy the old and build the new in order to give golf architects employment. I will discuss this more in another article.

TESTIMONIAL TO BLACK

Before leaving for Bellingham to take up his new position as professional at the Bellingham Golf Club, W. Black, who terminated his engagement with the Colwood Golf and Country Club at the end of last month, was presented by members of the club he is leaving with a purse of gold as a testimonial.

WINKLER CUP WON BY JORDAN RIVER

Senior School Team Also Defeats Gee-M-Tees in Close Basketball Game

JORDAN RIVER, Feb. 27.—Last Saturday proved one of the best nights held here this season. The evening commenced with the Gee-M-Tees, a team of High School girls managed by G. M. Tripp, meeting the local senior school team, and proved the most exciting game ever held on the local floor. The Gee-M-Tees got away with a good rush, and as the locals had difficulty in finding the basket, had the scoring, which at half-time stood 11 to 6 in their favor. During the second half the local school five settled down, and after some pretty combination and good shooting had the score within two points of their opponents. This held for some time and caused no end of excitement, for every time the visitors scored the locals came right back and did the same. A few minutes before full time the score was evened, while just before the final whistle Jordan River placed what proved to be the winning basket through the hoop. Final score, 25-23.

The line-up follows:

Gee-M-Tees—Forwards, Inez Penger and Eleanor Dinsdale; centre, Audrey Tooley; guards, Audrey Tripp and Fay Forester.

Jordan River—Forwards, Claudine Hunt and Alvin King; centre, Rita Maloney; guards, Albert Walker and Gilbert Hunt.

Winkler Cup Game

Referee, J. M. Elliott.

The second game was between the Jordan River senior team and the Otter Point five, for the Winkler Cup. Although Otter Point players showed marked improvement in all departments, they were beaten by the local boys, who now are the winners of the West Coast division and possessors of the Winkler Cup. Score: Jordan River, 28; Otter Point, 14. For this final game Bob Whyte kindly consented to act as referee, and made a special trip to Jordan River over the week-end.

The teams lined up as follows:

Otter Point—Forwards, O. Stout and H. Stout; centre, N. Milligan; guards, H. Young and F. Curley.

Jordan River—Forwards, J. MacVicar and W. Ledingham; centre, W. Watson; guards, L. Fatt and A. E. Holmwood.

Referee, Bob Whyte.

The usual dance and supper followed the games.

WEILER BOWLERS ARE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The Weiler bowling team cinched the pennant last night, when they won from the Wilcox Hat team by 147 pins, and will now hold the cup formerly in the possession of the Elks. Hockey and Strong both bowled over the 500 mark last night, and Moulton was again high man for the Hattars, with 541 pins. The scores follow:

Weiler's

Youngs	126	142	184	452
Oatman	156	154	143	453
Hockey	177	203	169	549
Strong	198	179	159	536
Rose	181	155	160	496
Totals	838	833	815	2486

Wilcox Hat

Fairall	151	135	185	471
Nehring	167	160	147	474
Willoughby	127	169	184	541
Moulton	203	164	184	541
Low Score	126	142	143	411
Totals	774	780	805	2359

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, March 1.—Results of association football games played today were:

Southern League

Aberdare, 4; Swindon, 3.

Friendly Game

Oxford University, 1; Dutch Universities, 5.

NORTHAMPTON, Eng., March 1.—In a Rugby football game played here today, Barbarians defeated East Midlands by 14 to 2.

WANDERERS ARE CHAMPIONS

MOOSE JAW, March 1.—Weyburn Wanderers last night took the measure of the Saskatoon Fifth Battalion team by 5-0 and won the title of Senior Amateur Hockey champions of the Province. The game was played here following the tie between the two teams following games in Weyburn and Saskatoon.

BOBBY McLEAN WINS

SYDNEY, N.S., March 1.—Winning two of the four races on the card, and finishing second and third, Bobby McLean, New York, won the Canadian indoor professional skating championship here last night.

COLONIST JUNIORS OFF TO VANCOUVER

PLAY FINAL TONIGHT WITH EX-KING GEORGE TEAM

Players Are Fully Recovered From Illness and Confident of Successful Issue

The Colonist junior hockey team are leaving for Vancouver on this afternoon's boat to replay the game with the ex-King George team which was unfinished on account of the sudden illness of some of the Victoria team. The Colonists are going over with the score for the series standing at four to two against them, but they have all recovered from the attack of ptomaine poisoning which put them hors de combat at their last attempt on Vancouver ice, and are feeling confident that they will give a good account of themselves and more than a little hopeful of bringing the Mowat Cup back to the Capital.

This game will be decisive, as in case of a tie in the score at the end of the regular periods, overtime will be played until a decision is arrived at. Those making the trip are as follows: Campbell, Barberie, Reiley, Mowatt, Pinchback, Desbrisay, Alexander, Green, Locke, Simpson and McDonald, with of course "Bill" McAllister, the manager.

Ladies Will Compete For Golf Title on Colwood Club's Links

The ladies golf championship of the Province will be competed for this year over the Colwood links from May 7 to 11 when the best of the lady golfers of the Province will compete for the Flumerfelt Cup which accompanies the title. No player who has a higher handicap than 20 will be allowed to compete. A qualifying round will be played, sixteen to qualify for match play for the championship. Entries close on May 5.

VISITING FIVES TO PLAY HERE TOMORROW

Four Fast Basketball Games Should Result From Saturday Programme at Y. M. C. A.

On Saturday night, at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium, four fast basketball games will be played.

Nanaimo Foresters will be down with a fast team and will take on the local James Bay Methodists. The Bays are leading the local Intermediate "A" Sunday School League, having won every game up to date.

The Vancouver Congregationals are arriving in town Saturday and will take on the local Congos. The local team is bringing out a big crowd of supporters to cheer them on to victory.

St. Andrew's Senior girls meet the Christ Church girls in one of the deciding games for the Sunday School League championship. This game should be one of the most exciting of the season.

St. Andrew's Senior "B" men will meet Onwegos for the leadership of the Senior "B" men's league.

These two teams will put up a hard fight to retain their lead.

Programme

7 p.m.—Senior Girls—Christ Church vs. St. Andrews.

7:40 p.m.—Intercity Game—Nanaimo Foresters vs. James Bays.

8:30 p.m.—Intercity Game—Vancouver Congos vs. Victoria Congos.

9:15 p.m.—Senior "B" Men—St. Andrews vs. Onwegos.

Reserved seats will be on sale today at Y. M. C. A. office.

Duncan Badminton Club Wins Friendly Match From Somenos Players

DUNCAN, Feb. 28.—Monday evening at the Agricultural Hall here the Duncan Badminton Club played a friendly interclub match with representatives of the Somenos Club, when the local club came off victorious, winning all matches played. Following are the results of the matches played, the Duncan Club players being first named.

Mixed Doubles

Mr. J. Greaves and Miss Wright defeated Mr. and Mrs. Ancell, 15-0; 15-10.

Mr. F. Hall and Miss Elsie Roome defeated Mr. and Mrs. C. Purvey, 15-8; 15-2.

Mr. T. Bazett and Mrs. Golding defeated Mr. Parker and Mrs. Snow, 15-17; 15-5; 17-14.

Mr. Gilmour and Miss Evanda Roome defeated Mr. J. Westcott and Mrs. Bailey, 15-11; 15-12.

Ladies Doubles

Miss Wright and Miss Elsie Roome defeated Mrs. Ancell and Mrs. Purvey, 15-9; 15-6.

Miss Evanda Roome and Mrs. Gooding defeated Mrs. Snow and Mrs. Bailey, 15-2; 15-6.

Men's Doubles

Messrs. Greaves and Holl defeated Messrs. Purvey and Westcott, 15-9; 15-6.

Messrs. Bazett and Gilmour defeated Messrs. Parker and Ancell, 15-3; 15-13.

Supper was provided by the members of the two clubs, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Tennis Favorites Win The Second Round

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—All the favorites, including Wm. T. Tilden II, national champion; Wallace F. Johnson, chop stroke expert; and Stanley W. Pearson, squash racquet champion, won their second round matches in the Middle States indoor tennis tournament today without much difficulty.

Tilden defeated Nelis Sullivan, a local player, in straight sets, 6-2, 6-2.

Johnson played two single matches today, defeating A. J. Cohen, Philadelphia, in the first round, 6-2, 6-0; and Watson Knight, Philadelphia, in the second, 6-1, 6-1.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., March 1.—Throwing his money and papers on the bank, a man, believed to be a soldier from New York City, jumped over the American Falls today. There were several witnesses, but his actions were so rapid that suicide could not be averted.

MISS LENGLEN WILL PLAY AT MENTONE

WILL ALSO TAKE PART IN NICE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Mrs. Mallory Also Entered—Miss Lenglen and Miss Ryan Win Ladies' Doubles

MONTE CARLO, Mar. 1.—Suzanne Lenglen has decided to play in the singles and women's doubles in the tennis tournament at Mentone, Monday.

Mdlle. Lenglen also intends playing in the singles, doubles and mixed doubles in the Nice tournament, beginning March 12. Mrs. Molla B. Mallory has also entered for these tournaments, and another meeting between the world's and American champions seems assured.

Easily Wins Doubles

MONTE CARLO, March 1.—Suzanne Lenglen explained today that the reason she is not playing in the singles in the Monte Carlo tournament is simply because she never entered in this competition.

It was only at the express request of Elizabeth Ryan, joint holder with Mdlle. Lenglen of the cup for the doubles championship, that she agreed to come to Monte Carlo so that Miss Ryan "could not lose," she said.

Mdlle. Lenglen was annoyed at the somewhat cold reception she received and the expressions of disappointment she heard among the spectators over her failure to compete in the singles, when she appeared on the court today for her doubles match paired with Miss Ryan against Miss May Green and Mrs. Young. Miss Ryan and Mdlle. Lenglen won the match easily, 6-0, 6-0.

Gossip at the 19th Hole

By Leo Dee

Forms of Play

The opening sentence of rule one reads, "the game of golf is played by two sides, each playing its own ball, etc." Definition one reads, "A side consists either of one player or of two players." And, in the same paragraph we find the definition of the only three forms of matches mentioned in the "Rules of the Game of Golf," namely, singles, threesomes, and foursomes. Also in a sub-section of rule one these forms of play are given precedence of and entitled to pass any other kind of match. Evidently then all other varieties in the form or make-up of matches are outlaws, and, as such, the members thereof take their lives in their own hands, so to speak, wehn cluttering up the course with their freak combinations.

The Most Popular Match

Outside the pale, therefore, is the most popular form of the day—the fourball match, which, just as its name implies, consists of four players, two to a side, but differing from the foursome, in that each player uses a ball, making four balls in play, the result depending on best ball, or sometimes best ball and aggregate. Without doubt this is the most popular form of playing in this country and anyone suggesting a foursome would be looked upon as something of an oddity. To be sure the foursome is faster, and for this reason is used in interclub matches, but as for popularity—it has none.

Oak Bay Changes

Most people thought the links of the Victoria Golf Club could scarcely be improved without taking in some of the property which is under reserve, but certain changes completed and underway illustrate what can be done with good judgment. The fifteenth has been made into one of the finest short holes in the country. By lifting the sod and banking the lower side of the sloping green the player has now a fair chance of a good tee shot remaining on the green, but the shot must be straight as there is only about sixty feet of open approach to the green. There is a new bunker just to the right of the green, where formerly those who sliced or drove into the trees found a nice hard fairway on which to drop a runup shot from out of the rough. But now the fellow that finds the trees is out of luck for sure. When finished the added distance to the new green will greatly improve the sixteenth also.

Of Interest to All

Besides the importance of replacing divots which has required repeated reference of late, there is also the matter of filling up holes made in bunkers. This applies not only to the cavern made by the niblick used for the shot but also to to the imprints made by the player's feet in the soft sand of the bunker. Many a player's chance to win a hole has been spoiled by finding his ball buried in a big heel mark in the bunker, where with a little thoughtfulness on the part of the other fellow this would have been avoided and the resultant anathema as well. It is said that women are more often at fault in this respect than men. However that may be, there is room for improvement all round and we hope that will be the result of this note.

Of Personal Note

Friends of L. H. Hardie will be glad to know that he has so far recovered from a two weeks' bout with the flu, that he can now swing a club and enjoy his smoke. The only thing that worried L. H. and tended to retard his recovery was the fear that he would be unable to take his place in the match against the Uplands Club; and it is certain he would have suffered a relapse had he been prevented from at least watching the play (as he did) on such a delightful day.

We understand Mr. F. B. Coldwell is celebrating his entry into membership in the Hole-In-One Club by a profligate use of new golf balls. May his good fortune continue the supply.

Old Country Pick-Ups

It is reported that there is a possibility of subdividing the "children's links" at St. Andrew's for building purposes, in which event, it is understood that Gibson-place will be extended practically as far as the bridge used to cross the railway to the Eden Course.

Even with the reduced rates secured for them and the many instances of free entertainment provided by the different clubs, the tour of the British team to the United States last year cost some eight hundred pounds more than the subscriptions received by the Championship Committee for defraying expenses.

There has recently been formed in London the Golf Clubs' Protection Association. The peculiar object or function of this body is not to protect the associated clubs from designing tax collectors, etc., but will turn its attention particularly to the protection of the "inalienable rights of all British subjects." Those who read reports of the campaign conducted in British Columbia a few years ago will understand the objects of the association quite clearly.

A remarkable performance was turned in by Mr. E. W. Holderness on January 14 when he defeated C. J. Tolley in the Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society's tournament at Rye and thereby won the president's putter for the fourth year in succession, a performance that will rank as one of the great feats in golfing history. During the match Mr. Tolley, or the mighty Tolley, as one United States writer described him, made a drive from the seventh tee that will be remembered among the long ones. This shot on a hole, which is a three-shotter for long hitters, carried so far that Tolley's second landed on the green pin high, yet Holderness won the match by superior short game. Both these players were members of the team that visited the United States last year.

The Beginners Corner

Reference has been made to the use of the wooden clubs, and their importance has often been exaggerated to the neglect of one of the most useful clubs when its mastery is attained. We refer to the mid-iron, from which almost as much distance can be obtained as from the brassie. Times without number the inexperienced player will try to use his brassie from grass or other difficulties when he could get a clean shot with an iron. There are few good iron (this club is known as the "iron") players for the reasons we have already stated, but there is not much chance for a novice to develop into a star without making a study of the mid-iron.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO COMMISSION

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"These questions were very thoroughly debated, but the crying need of the moment is a reorganization of the pension system," asserted Mr. Twigg. "There are at present three pension commissioners forming a pension board at Ottawa. They are securely entrenched for a ten-year term, and cannot be removed from office save by both Houses for cause. Attached to this board at Ottawa are some ten doctors or specialists. Two of the board members are doctors also.

"The administration of the Pensions Act is left with the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, which, so far as words can make it, is independent of the board, and which has under its wing all questions affecting the re-establishment of ex-soldiers. It deals with treatment, pay and allowances, hospitalization, land settlement, insurance, and it controls the machinery put in motion when an application is made for pension. The D.S.C.R. operates throughout the provinces by means of units or sub-offices. Vancouver being the headquarters for British Columbia, and known as "J" unit, with a sub-unit office at Victoria.

"The first point that strikes one on investigating the pensions system of Canada, is the enormous power given to the medical profession. At every turn we meet fresh medical obstacles which have to be surmounted before the point can be brought before the board for decision, and two members of this board are medical doctors. Their decision is final.

"The first approach of an applicant is to a travelling board of doctors, then to a complaint or so-called appeal board of doctors to whom, as a rule, is handed a report by the applicant's private doctor. Added to this there may be reports by various other doctors and specialists. And then the ten doctors at Ottawa, or some of them, have a say, and finally it reaches the main pension board with its two medical members.

Doctors as Judges

"The doctors have it all their own way and decide upon both settlement and amount. It is sufficient to say that the evidence produced proved that the doctors were not proper judges of settlement at any rate, and in Great Britain they have very little to say as to that phase, being given an equal vote only upon the question of assessment of amount.

"It is the belief of the ex-service men that in the medical preponderance of opinion lies the root of all his pension troubles. The professional ability of the doctors is not criticised, but the broad human side of the question is lost in scientific argument.

Many cases were cited to the commissioners showing where doctors differed and the men suffered. They attempt to bring the interpretation of the Pension Act and its many additional regulations down to an exact science. The commissioners were evidently of the opinion that remedies were needed and at the outset stated that they were firmly of the opinion that some court of appeal was necessary, and that it should be one quite independent of the pension board and separate from the present overwhelming medical influences.

"The British Columbia delegates suggested the following, and if the pension board figures therein it must be remembered that the pension board is a fixture and must still be allowed to function.

"An applicant for pension or for increase in pension shall first apply to a traveling board of doctors as at present, only there must be more than one and the applicant must be given the right to see all the documents on his file before the hearing. If this traveling board recommends a pension or relief which is satisfactory to the man and is approved by the pension board, the matter is closed.

"If, however, the man is dissatisfied or the pension board refuses to endorse a favorable award of the traveling board and his appeal is endorsed by his own doctor and his advocate, then applicant has the right to appeal to a district court of appeal, consisting of a lawyer, a doctor and a general business man. If the board decides against him on any application it closes the matter for the man.

Appeal Board Decides

"If the appeal board decides in his favor as to treatment it is final, and so long as pensionability is not called in question, if it decides in his favor as to pay and allowances, it is also final.

"Any decision of the appeal board which would create a right to pension or affects pension shall be sent to the pension board for approval. If the board approves all is well, but if not then the man has a final appeal to a federal appeal board at Ottawa consisting of a lawyer, a doctor and a business man, this board to be separate from the pension board, and whose decision will be absolute.

"At all hearings the man himself shall be heard if he so desires. All documents shall be produced to him and he shall be entitled to call witnesses.

"It is necessary to have uniformity of decisions throughout Canada and to have the pension board and the federal appeal board act as balancing wheels. These courts shall deal with all questions affecting ex-soldiers and their dependents.

"In order that assessment and rate of disability be supervised it was urged on the commissioners that the permit disability table be revised with the assistance of all ex-service men's representative and that it then be published. Also a soldiers' advocate for each district was suggested, who would conduct all cases on the applicant's behalf and to whom every assistance and information would be given by the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment and the pension board in the matter of files and medical history sheets. It was further suggested that the salaries of these advocates, who need not necessarily be lawyers, should be paid out of the income of the canteen funds. More than likely the need for such advocates will pass in a few years, and by that time opinion will have crystallized among returned men as to the most fitting disposal of capital amount.

In Applicant's Interest

"By the above method it is hoped that the present system of adjusting and fixing pensions will be eliminated, or at least controlled, in the interest of the applicant. As matters stand now a man's application may be approved by the traveling board but refused by men who have never seen him and who have in their possession documents dealing with him which he has no access to, and apparently no weight is given to the report upon his condition furnished by the doctors who attended him. The men is tried in camera and, worse still, he is tried unheard, and in his absence no reasons for any decisions made are given unless pressed for, and then are generally of a most unsatisfactory nature. Such methods of procedure were described as indefensible by the high authority of a Royal Commission on pensions in England as long ago as 1919, and they certainly offend against the tried and century-old procedure of the law courts.

"It was also pressed that all men who accepted a final payment in lieu of pension should have the right of appeal if their disability had not disappeared.

"The commissioners listened to many cases put forward by the men's advocate, and it was urged that the

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NEW YORK, March 1.—Dr. Ferdinand Seegar, a distinguished physician, decorated by the Czar of Russia for his skill, renounced the splendors of office that he might minister to the East Side poor, died yesterday at 74 in a shabby little flat on East 93rd Street.

News of his death from pneumonia soon swept the East Side, and scores of patients whom he had treated without charge flocked to his four-room house to express their sympathy to his widow and daughter.

At the Playhouses

DOMINION THEATRE Mike, the noted Irish terrier who during ten of the twelve years of his life has appeared in 2,000 performances of J. Hartley Manners' famous stage play, "Peg o' My Heart," showing at the Dominion Theatre this week, in support of its equally famous star, Laurette Taylor, has been exposed as a gay deceiver. Not long ago, just when Miss Taylor was in the midst of production at the Metro studio in Hollywood of the screen version of the play, Mike deserted the cast abruptly. For the first time in his career he was too late for rehearsal Mike retired temporarily to become a mother.

ROYAL VICTORIA Sydney Chaplin is seen in a role of importance in "The Pilgrim," the latest First National comedy production of his inimitable brother, Charlie Chaplin, at the Royal again today. Sydney plays the part of a husband and father, who takes his wife and mischievous young son to the home in the Texas town where welcoming festivities for the new parson are under way. Some shots which never fail to get a laugh were not included in the script of "Bell Boy 13," Thomas H. Ince's latest comedy farce, which is showing in addition to the above film this week. The picture tells the story of a young bond broker who is trying to keep an appointment with his sweetheart to elope, and his uncle foils every attempt to escape until the boy starts a fire in his room, leaps into a fire net, and, borrowing the car of the fire chief, makes a dash through the streets of the city, followed by the entire fire department.

CAPITOL THEATRE George Melford, who directed "The Sheik" and "Burning Sands," has added another success to his achievements in "Java Head." This story, which ran in The Saturday Evening Post, has been transferred to the screen in a manner which will cause the picture to rank amongst the best of the directors' work. It has strong dramatic action and holds the attention at all times. Leatrice Joy, Jacqueline Logan and George Fawcett are in the cast. This picture is showing at the Capitol Theatre all week.

COLUMBIA THEATRE As usual, Tom Mix won the staunch and unanimous approval of the audience that packed the Columbia Theatre last night for the opening performance of the robust star's latest William Fox production, "Do and Dare." The daring, dashing hero of Western Screen dramas seems to reach new heights with each production, and in "Do and Dare" an enraptured audience watched breathlessly the Fox light as he shone through an hour and a half of supremely entertaining action. And it was action from beginning to end. Action from the time the title was flashed on the silver sheet to the omnipresent "clinch" at the finish of the love race.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE To imagine a show with more go and pep than "The Cabaret Girl," now running at the Playhouse, is almost impossible. A combination of music and humor that has not been surpassed is what it amounts to, and for more than two hours the patrons of this popular house are treated to the brightest of bright entertainment. More than twenty up-to-date song hits all linked together with a delightful dialogue that portrays the experiences of "The Cabaret Girl" in love, makes an evening's entertainment of more than two hours that cannot be beaten anywhere. This musical comedy is the latest hit from the Winter Garden Theatre in London, and no Victorian who likes good music and lots of fun should miss seeing it. Two delighted audiences have already witnessed this show, and judging from their remarks, their applause, and the repeated demands for encores it is a production that meets with utmost approval. Victorians are fortunate in having such an enterprising company in their midst, producing as they do entertainments that it is not possible to see elsewhere, outside of the big centres. "The Cabaret Girl" is a show that appeals to all, brimful of the most fascinating music to be imagined, containing more laughs than can be recorded; staged in the very latest and best of scenery and costumes, and with not a dull moment throughout the whole night. Seats may be reserved in advance at the box office, open every day.

CHINESE TROUPE NOW OCCUPIES STAGE AT OLD VARIETY THEATRE

A Chinese troupe of twenty-five, which arrived in Victoria a few days ago from Canton, China, is playing at the Variety Theatre. The show opened last Wednesday evening, and will continue, with a change of programme each evening, until a week Saturday night.

The troupe brought the entire setting for the show from Canton, and it is claimed to be the finest that has ever been seen in Victoria. The costumes are extraordinarily gorgeous, being made of the finest of Chinese silks.

STUPENDOUS CLASSIC COMES TO DOMINION WEEK OF MARCH 12

Arrangements have been completed by the management of the Dominion Theatre for the booking of the year's greatest production "When Knighthood Was in Flower," starring Marion Davies, and it will play at the Dominion Theatre, in this city, for one week only, commencing Monday, March 12. Nothing so lavishly magnificent has ever been offered in Victoria to date, and it will probably be a long time before another production, so epoch making as this picture, will be made. Further announcement on this great production will be made in the papers from day to day.

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The Playhouse—"The Cabaret Girl."

"PASSION" AT ROYAL VICTORIA NEXT WEEK IS EXCEPTIONAL FILM

Advertising in the superlative degree has become habitual in the amusement world, but seldom has a company been so positive in its declarations of presenting the very greatest film of motion picture history as is Associated First National in its references to "Passion," a nine-part superdrama in which Pola Negri, a Continental star, is said to distinguish herself.

"No standard of comparison possible at this time," is a line this firm uses in connection with this latest screen product and it seems quite a few critics are agreeing with this statement. Noticeable interest is already aroused in the forthcoming engagement of "Passion" at the Royal Victoria Theatre next week.

DR. F. E. DORCHESTER OF PSYCHO-PHYSICAL FAME LECTURES HERE

Dr. Frank E. Dorchester an eminent authority in psycho-physical education, will lecture here on health, efficiency, development of mind and body, and on psychology plus physiological principles, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. On Tuesday night Dr. Dorchester will speak on "The Common-Sense Health," Wednesday, "The Co-operative Makeup of Man," and Thursday, "Toxemia—the Cause of Disease."

The lectures of Dr. Dorchester are said to be unique, for they are not only notable for the fundamental truths of the methods of building a beautiful and healthy body, but in the quality of his philosophy, his ideals, which are vital living facts, are, it is claimed, such as to build a clean and active mind within a beautiful body. He is, above all things, said to be rational, whilst the results of his life work are claimed to be wonderful.

INTERESTING STUDY ON BRITISH ISRAELISM

An address, followed by free, open discussion upon the "Meaning of British-Israel Truth," was given at the British-Israel Book Depot on Cook Street Wednesday night. Mr. E. E. Richards, who gave the address, showed clearly from the Word of God that the House of Israel, distinct from that of Judah or the Jews, must be a nation somewhere upon the earth today, and in possession of the promises made to the fathers.

He stated that the Ten Tribes practically dropped out of history after being taken into captivity by Shalmanezer King of Assyria, B.C. 721, and seem to have been forgotten by the rest of the world; that the place of their captivity was 500 miles northeast of that of Judah; that Ezra and Nehemiah show distinctly who returned from Babylon, and no mention is made of the northern house as such; in fact there was no place for them to return to, the Assyrians having repeopled their country with other races.

The question might be asked, did the people—who are variouely described by God as My people, My firstborn, My nation, My sheep, Mine elect, etc., and the heirs of "promises" that must make them the foremost people or nation of the earth—cease to exist, die out as it were? Did they so intermarry with other races as to lose their own nationality?

To disprove this, the lecturer quoted Amos 9, 9, "I will command and I will sift the House of Israel among all nations, like as corn is sifted in a sieve, yet shall not the least grain fall upon the earth." This statement of God entirely does away with the idea that they were in any way obliterated. They were dispersed among the Gentiles.

Advantages Sought

Christ came to redeem Israel, Luke 1, 68, and to confirm the promises made unto the Father, Romans 15, 8. Find the nation in possession of the "promises" and you have discovered the lost sheep of the House of Israel lost to man, but known to God. He that keepeth Israel will neither slumber nor sleep. What do we mean by British-Israel truth? Simply that the British people are identical with Israel, that they are, in fact, the lineal descendants of the literal House of Israel, God's chief agent for the uplift and evangelization of the other races. This seems to many at first to be impossible, almost absurd, so much so that many educated people are inclined to ridicule the assertion without due inquiry. This is because people have been taught for centuries past that the Jews and Israel are one and the same, and in any case the Jewish and British peoples are by all the rules of ethnology, the antipodes of one another.

During all this time no Israel other than the Jews has been recognized by ethnologists. Jew and Gentile only, the secret being, of course, that Israel the dispersed, was hidden in the Gentiles. To be regathered after redemption in an appointed place of their own, II Samuel 7, 10, there to wait for His law, Is. 42, 4, and to renew their strength, Is. 41, 1.

The identity of Britain with Israel will be continued next Tuesday evening. Many others took part in the discussion that followed, and it is hoped that many more will come out and discuss this question on the Tuesday evenings during March.

The London Stage

By Elizabeth Montizambert

Mr. Robert Courtneidge has inaugurated his twelve year's lease of the Savoy with a success which, if an enthusiastic reception is any indication, will probably be prolonged. Mr. Noel Coward's comedy of youth, "The Young Idea," is more refreshingly original than anything I have seen on the English stage for a long time. In the midst of a plethora of translations and adaptions from the work of Italian, French, Spanish, American and German authors, and the numerous rechauffes of the work of English playwrights of the last generation, it is a relief to come across a thoroughly modern play, written by an Englishman.

The action of the play revolves round two irrepressible young people, delightfully played by Mr. Noel Coward and Miss Ann Trevor, who managed to communicate the zest of their performance to the audience. They undertake to bring their divorced father and mother together again, —the task complicated by the father's remarriage to a lady whose wandering affections aid the machinations of this, entrancingly outrageous pair of enfants terribles.

"The Young Idea" is gay, witty, and infectious. Mr. Coward pokes fun at everything except, alas, the hideous color scheme of the hall of George Brent's country house. The acting of the whole cast, which included Miss Kate Cutler as the first wife, Miss Muriel Pope and Leslie Banks as the second wife and her lover, and Mr. Ambrose Manning as Hiram J. Walker, the American suitor for the hand of the first Mrs. Brent, was was so uniformly good that one rather lost sight of the fact that the only really human character in this brilliant comedy was that of the husband, George Brent, played with his usual admirable sincerity by that able actor, Mr. Herbert Marshall.

Mr. Noel Coward, who is not yet twenty-five years of age, has been connected with the stage since he was eleven, when he made his first appearance at the Playhouse as Prince Mussel in a children's fairy play. Since then he has acted in fourteen different productions, including his own play, "I'll Leave it to You," which was played at the Kingsway two years ago. His acting is distinguished, and has that restraint and mastery of his art which marks the work of the best modern French actors. As a playwright, if he fulfils the promise of "The Young Idea," he will possibly become the Sacha Guitry of the English Stage.

Via Crucis

Sir Martin Harvey has just produced Hoffmansthal's version of the morality play "Everyman" at the Garrick Theatre for a three week's run. The adaptation was done by the Hon. Sybil Amherst and Dr. C. S. Wheeler.

Sir Martin Harvey is such an old hand at stage production that anything he undertakes is sure to be well done, but, in spite of the delicacy of his acting and the setting and costumes designed by Sir Aston Webb, or perhaps from their very excellence, it was difficult for the audience to capture the spirit of devotion without which these old morality plays lose their proper atmosphere.

One could not help feeling that "Everyman," acted with a primitive setting by trained villagers, would be attractive and appropriate. At the Garrick it seemed as incongruous as if Melba and Plunket Greene joined hands and danced round a maypole singing folk songs.

At the end of his three week's season Sir John will take "Via Crucis" on tour, beginning at Newcastle, only returning to London in May. The future plans of this popular actor include a revival of "Oedipus Tyrannus," to be followed probably by a modern play.

The Love Habit

I went to the first performance of "The Love Habit," produced by Mr. Dennis Eadie at the Royalty Theatre. The play is a very free adaptation by Mr. Seymour Hicks of Louis Verneuil's comedy "Pour avoir Adrienne." One does not need to be told that Mr. Hicks' translation is freer than air, for no French playwright would ever allow so persistent a lover as Mr. Seymour Hicks to go unrewarded by the lady to whose affections he lays persistent siege throughout three acts.

The part of the lady was played by Miss Frances Carson, who has spent most of her life in America, though she made her debut on the stage in a stock company in Ottawa. Canadians may have seen her in the part of Lucia Pell in "The Bad Man," which had a two year run in New York, and which I believe Matheson Lang is thinking of producing in London, when the public tires of "The Great Well."

The entire plot of "The Love Habit" consists of the ingenious attempts of the upsetter, played by Seymour Hicks, to compass the opportunity of making love to Julie, played by Frances Carson. Chance lends a hand by allowing him to overhear, from his dubious hiding-place in the telephone box, an interview between Julie's husband (Mr. Dennis Eadie) and a certain Rosanne Pom Pom. The rest of the play is made up of breathless situations from which the Upsetter, the only attractive character in the piece, retires gracefully—in the English version—leaving the repentant husband clasping his faithful wife.

Mr. Dennis Eadie, in a very ungrateful part, Frances Carson, Alex Dorane as the Pom Pom, and Mr. Claud Rains as a dancing partner, did very good work, but the brunt of the play was borne by Mr. Seymour Hicks in his usual inimitable way. When the enthusiastic audience demanded a speech, Mr. Eadie said that he always wished speeches would come at the end of a run instead of the first night. He played a graceful compliment to Mr. Seymour Hicks, who was associated with him for the first time, and who also thanked the audience for their appreciation of a very amusing evening.

Coming Events

Mr. Charles Cochran, whose energy is prodigious, is producing a new revue at the Pavilion, as soon as the fim of "Robin Hood" is taken off. He is also planning a new feature, a cabaret entertainment called "Cinq a Sept," designed to fill in the hours between tea and dinner. This ought to be amusing, for Mr. Cochran has engaged Delysia, the Dolly Sisters, and the lovely Spanish Trini.

When "Via Crucis" leaves the Garrick, Mr. Cochran will produce there "Partners Again," with Miss Joyce Carey in the leading part.

Faking of great masterpieces in painting has increased since the war.

DRAMATIC SCHOOL HAS RECITAL THIS EVENING

The B. C. Dramatic School will give a recital in the New Thought Temple this evening at 8 o'clock. The programme is as follows:

"O Canada" .....
"Cave Dwellers".....Armel O'Connor
"The Naughty Day"...Fay Inchfawn
Miss Billy Sheldon-Williams
"A Rendezvous With Death" .....
..... Alan Sager
Miss Lorna Lewin
"The Shepherdess"....Alice Meynell
Miss Girsha Orpen
"Ribs and Skin" .....
.....An Ancient Japanese Farce
Mr. G. H. Hallett (Rector of the Temple), Mr. Bruce White (Curate of the Temple), Miss Barbara Gibson and Miss Ruth Campbell (First Visitors), Miss Audrey Ennever (Second Visitor), Miss Mary Langley and Master Roy Goldfinch (Last Visitors).
"The Little Quaker Sinner"....Anon
Miss Ethel Stuart and Miss Yvonne Stuart
"Money Musk" ..... Anon
Miss Rosemary Nasmith
Debate—"Is the Twentieth Century Raising or Lowering the Standard of Dramatic Art?"
Mr. J. Rose (Chairman), Mrs. Herbert Kent, Miss Ethel Irwin, Miss Ella Pottinger and Miss Violet Josephs.
"The Smugglers"...Rudyard Kipling
Miss Nora Hunter and Miss Billy Sheldon-Williams
"Dreamland Bound" .....
"The Heart of a Little Boy".....
"My Talisman".....
.....Frances Ebbs-Canavan
Mrs. Ebbs-Canavan
"A Scene from the Life of Joan of Arc"...Adapt. by Bullock-Webster
Miss Jeannette Miller (Joan), Miss Marjorie Oates (Hauvette), Miss Ethel Bale (Gerrard), Miss Marjorie Spencer (Isabelle), Miss Girsha Orpen (Menguette), Miss Kathleen Johnston (Marie)
"The Leak in the Dyke".Phoebe Cary
Miss Ella Pottinger
"The Traveling Man"..Lady Gregory
Miss Muriel Bartholomew and Miss Wanda Spencer and Mr. Gordon Gibson
"Elocutionary Fade".Jessie Alexander
Miss Mary McFadden
"Love and the Philosopher" .....
..... Anthony Hope
Miss Katheryne Moore and Mr. H. F. Hewett
"Willie's Bedtime" ..... Anon
Mrs. Agnew
"A Greek Girl".....Austin Dobson
Miss Marjorie Spencer
Scene from "Lady Windermere's Fan" ..... O. Wilde
Mrs. Herbert Kent (Duchess of Berwick), Miss Ethel Irwin (Lady Windermere), Miss Peggie Gourley (Lady Agatha), Mr. Alex. Phillips (Lord Darlington)
"God Save the King."

Accompaniments by Mrs. I. Walsh Nasmith; scenery by Mr. G. H. Hallett; stage manager, Mr. Alex. McPhillips; assistant stage manager, Mr. Bruce White; ticket committee, Miss Ella Pottinger and Miss Mary McFadden.

Pola Negri's Eyes Fill as She Tells of Break With Comedian

LOS ANGELES, March 1.—Pola Negri, motion picture actress, has broken off her engagement to Charlie Chaplin, comedian of the films, according to an interview the Los Angeles Times will publish tomorrow.

Beyond remarking that there "were a thousand reasons why I should not marry Mr. Chaplin," Miss Negri avoided conversation following her announcement that the engagement was off, and confined her explanation of the break to a written statement, the text of which follows:

"I consider I am too poor to marry Charles Chaplin. He needs to marry a wealthy woman, and he should have no difficulty in finding one in the United States—the richest and most beautiful in the world.

"Therefore I gave Mr. Chaplin his freedom and release him from his engagement. I wish him the best of luck, and I will always be his devoted friend.

"Please don't ask me any questions," she warned, after her statement had been read. Her eyes filled with tears and her lips trembled.

"I am not able to answer them."

VANCOUVER GRAIN BOOKINGS

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Vancouver's wheat export business is today better than it has been in several weeks, according to local grain men. Their statement is corroborated by the booking of about 600,000 bushels of grain in the past few days.

Of this amount the Orient is taking about 502,400 bushels.

For the United Kingdom an additional 2,600 tons has been booked. Altogether 292,976 tons of grain have been booked or shipped to the United Kingdom, and 98,987 tons have been booked or shipped to the Orient.

OTTAWA, March 1.—The Senate this afternoon defeated by 37 to 16 the bill introduced by Senator David, which would have limited the franchise to unmarried women to those of 30 years of age or over.

Charlie Chaplin
ROYAL—TODAY
Two Comedy Features on One Programme
First Time in Victoria
Charlie Chaplin
In His Latest Feature
"The Pilgrim"
Four Reels That Make Grinners Out of Sinners
FEATURE No. 2
Thomas H. Ince Presents
DOUGLAS MACLEAN in BELLBOY 13
A Merry Mix-Up of Love and Laughter

Pola Negri, star of Europe's screen, who will be seen here in "Passion." That strange personal magnetism, which in woman opens all doors, levels all class distinctions, makes all men vie for her smiles—is hers to the Nth degree. See men fight and die for her. You'll laugh and thrill and cry with her. You'll see her radiant beauty and audacity carry her past barriers of poverty, jealousy and greed to the pinnacle of place and power.
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The Famous Store Limited
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Spring Fashions in Coats and Suits
COATS are examples of the new season's materials and styles.
SUITS—Chic, distinctive and different for 1923 wear.
Compare FAMOUS prices. You will find the values will both profit you and also delight you in your most ardent wish for handsome new garments for Spring.
"Correct Apparel for Women"

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P. C. H. A.
Championship
HOCKEY
SEATTLE vs. VICTORIA
FRIDAY, MARCH 2
At 8:30 P.M.
Admission 75c, Children 25c
Reserved Seats, $1.10, $1.25
Box Seats, $1.50
All Prices Include Tax
Seats on Sale Wednesday at ARENA OFFICE
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Won't Shrink Woollens
—*true, says* MONARCH KNITTING CO.
The above firm, one of the largest manufacturers of woollens in Canada, investigated the best method of cleaning sweaters—and they recommend Lux.
Here is their letter, which tells how sweaters should be washed.

Messrs. Lever Bros., Limited
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January 17, 1922
Gentlemen:
Sweater coats or blouses, where they are manufactured out of pure wool or silk, can be washed as satisfactorily and as easily as ordinary goods, provided the proper material and methods are used for the washing, and to-day there is on the Canadian market a product entirely suitable for our knitted goods and for our yarns. We suggest to all women who buy these goods to wash them with Lux.
The slogan of the manufacturers—"Won't shrink woollens"—is true if proper washing methods are used. The thin, water-like flakes of Lux dissolve readily and there is no possibility of any pieces of solid soap sticking to the soft wool or silk and yellowing it, ultimately ruining the garment.
Children's sweater coats or suits are often ruined in the first laundering because they are improperly washed, but if Lux is used, they will wear longer and give more satisfaction to the buyer.
We also recommend that garments should be dried quickly and when drying, lay them out flat and straighten to shape. Never hang them up when wet.
We are pleased to say that our silk and woollen sweater coats, skirts, suits, etc. in the most delicate colors and weights can be safely washed with Lux.
Yours very truly,
THE MONARCH KNITTING CO., LTD.
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Vancouver Island

PARENT TEACHERS TO HAVE BUILDING

Cape Mudge Indians Installing Water System—Inspector of Health of Animals Visited Campbell River

CAMPBELL RIVER, Feb. 27.—The Parent-Teachers' Association of Campbell River held its ordinary meeting at the home of Mrs. Crawford on Monday, February 19. A full attendance of members was registered.

The kind offer of a lot from the International Timber Co. was declined with thanks in favor of a more advantageous site which Mr. John Smith, of Campbellton, very generously has given to the association. This lot is 50 feet x 100 feet on the Government road. Mr. Smith also offered the association a loan of $500 at 7 per cent, and will give a clear title to the lot as soon as the loan is paid. He further offered to instal a first-class radio set in the hall when completed. The offer was accepted unanimously by the members and an agreement in accordance with the terms of Mr. Smith's most generous proposal will be drawn up at once.

The ladies of the association decided to present a large cake to the Oyster Bay schoolhouse dance committee on March 3, to help the committee in their efforts to raise funds for the school.

The new rules and regulations of the association were read and adopted clause by clause.

It was also decided to form a "Brownie Troop", Child Welfare Branch, which as progress was achieved could be advanced to "Girl Guides"; and the following conveners were appointed to take charge of the special branches indicated: Organiser and machine stitching, Mrs. Fitzgerald; sewing, Mrs. Peterson; knitting, Mrs. Brunton and Mrs. Crawford; baking, Mrs. Pidcock; cooking, Mrs. Carl Peterson; candy making, Mrs. D. McDonald; swimming, Mrs. Palmer; singing, Mrs. Glanville.

Cape Mudge Water

Mr. W. M. Halliday, of Alert Bay, Indian Agent, is at Cape Mudge Indian Village, superintending the installation of a water system which the residents of the village are putting in under his tutelage.

A large concrete basin is being constructed to hold the water from the creek that flows down the hillside; and a two-inch pipe will carry the water to two one-and-a-half-inch laterals. From these laterals the twenty-five or so houses will be connected up by each of the householders, and good water and a continuous supply assured to all dwellers in Cape Mudge.

Traveling For

Andy Flawse, who drove one of the motor stages for Frank Lalonde between Campbell River and Courtenay last year, writes from Miami, Arizona, which city he reached February 7 after a series of motor trips.

He certainly has done a lot of traveling since he left here last November, from the long list of city names in his letter.

Motoring from Vancouver to San Diego in November, with side trips to everything worth while en route, he put in the Winter immediately around Christmas by seeing most of Southern California, and after the New Year went over the Southern Rockies to Arizona, across two deserts, one 45 miles and the other 88 miles wide.

He says it is "hard going" through the Alkali Flats, where but two cars were able to make the "grade" in the past three weeks. One car got stuck there for 5 days, miles away from everything and no chance of getting out till help arrived from the outside world. He also speaks of "acres of cactus," not the most pleasant thing to encounter in a motor. Before reaching Miami, he and his party had to cross Gillespie's Dam, with water up to the floor boards, for half a mile. The party arrived at Miami at 4 a.m., then proceeded to the world-famous Roosevelt Dam, one of the largest in the world.

Having covered so much ground in three months, he says he will never stop till he sees all North and South America. The party consists of R. M. Spencer, Napa, Cal.; M. H. Mathieson, Stockton, Cal.; D. and J. Dunbar, of Mitchell, South Dakota, and the wanderer from Campbell River, Andy Flawse.

Electric Welding

J. Cummings, of Vancouver, who has recently visited Alberni and other points on the Island, with his electric welding plant, arrived here last Friday from Macdonald and Murphy's Camp, Oyster Bay, where he has been doing a lot of work. The welding plant occupies a large motor lorry and has had considerable difficulty in negotiating the bad roads. Mr. Cummings and his driver and the lorry proceeded to the International Timber Company's Camp to do some work there. Mr. Cummings formerly operated a large sawmill at Strawberry Hill, near Westminster, B.C.

Postponed Concert

The date for the Choral Society concert, advertised for February 14 and postponed owing to the recent severe snowstorm, has not been decided as yet, and most certainly will not be on St. Patrick's Day, as quoted in the last issue of The Islander.

Dominion Inspector Here

Among the visitors to Campbell River over the week-end was Mr. W. Kininmonth, Dominion Inspector, Health of Animals Branch, who has his headquarters in Vancouver.

Mr. Kininmonth has just completed a tour of inspection and instruction from Nanaimo to Campbell River, and he returned to Vancouver on Sunday evening. His reports on farms, stock condition and feeding, etc., go daily to Ottawa. He also shows the hog owner "How to look after hogs." Mr. Kininmonth states that at the moment there is no hog cholera in British Columbia. He has been in the Dominion service for 14 years.

PLAINTIFFS WIN IN NANAIMO CASES

NANAIMO, March 1. — In the County Court yesterday, before His Honor Judge Barker, the case of the Nanaimo Meat & Produce Co., Ltd., vs. Mr. H. H. Bindon was heard. The action arose over an account for produce supplied by the plaintiffs to the defendant. Mr. A. E. Mainwaring, who was at that time manager of the Nanaimo Meat & Produce Co., Ltd., offset a debt which he himself owed to the defendant against the defendant's account with the plaintiff without the knowledge and consent of the other members of the company, and had no authority to offset moneys in this way. Judgment was given for plaintiff in the sum of $445.29 and costs. Mr. Arthur Leighton appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. C. H. Beevor-Potts for the defendant.

The case of the J. R. Goodhue Co., Ltd., vs. Frank Partridge was heard on Tuesday, when judgment was given for the plaintiff with costs. The defendant, who is a merchant in Cumberland, had ordered certain goods from the plaintiff company, through its agent. The amount of the claim was $87.64, and after the writ was served the defendant paid into court $63.35 in full settlement of plaintiff's claim. The plaintiff company considered that it was entitled to the full amount as claimed. The judge considered they were entitled to the full amount and gave judgment accordingly. Mr. Arthur Leighton for the defendant, and Mr. F. S. S. Cunliffe for the defendant.

COBBLE HILL WILL HOLD CELEBRATION

COBBLE HILL, March 1.—A meeting of the directors of the Women's Institute was held at Mrs. Meckiin's house yesterday afternoon. Committees were formed, subject to alterations, for the various work in connection with the 24th of May celebration, which is to be held under the auspices of the Institute in aid of the Community Hall.

Mrs. Keene, the president, was authorised to purchase material to be used in the manufacture of goods for the industrial stall. The next general meeting will be on Thursday afternoon next, at 2:30, in the hall. The time will be occupied in sewing for the industrial stall, and all who are interested in the matter of a community hall are invited to be present, and it is hoped that many besides actual members will attend.

Mr. F. Porter, who for a great many years has been station agent here, has resigned and a new appointment will shortly be made.

There will be a magic lantern entertainment in the Walton Hall on Wednesday, March 7, at 8 p.m. The subject is to be "English Cathedrals," and the proceeds will be devoted to the church funds.

Austin's orchestra has engaged the Community Hall for Thursday evening, March 15, and intends giving a dance.

The net proceeds of the masquerade dance on February 12, in aid of the Community Hall, were $84.35 over and above rent of $10.

LANGFORD WOMEN MEET

Institute Decides to Purchase Two Acres of Land—Practical Lessons in Rug Making

LANGFORD, Feb. 27.—There was a good attendance at the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute at the residence of Mrs. C. Neill, Island Highway, this afternoon. The president, Madame Beauchemin, was in the chair and all directors were present. The secretary, Mlle. du Plessis, read the correspondence.

Reports were given by the social work, agricultural and publicity committees. A discussion ensued on a suitable piece of land for the institute to purchase. Finally the members balloted on the question and accepted Mr. Dallimore's offer of nearly two acres.

A practical demonstration on rag rug making was ably given by Mrs. Aikman, while Mrs. H. A. Hincks showed all present the art of making wool rugs. Both ladies were warmly thanked for their demonstrations.

The programme for the year has been drawn up and promises to be a very pleasing and varied one. The meeting adjourned and a social half hour was spent over the coffee cups and delicious tea provided by the hostesses, Mesdames O'Neill and Fagan.

Mrs. Wilfred Gibson has returned with her infant daughter to her home at Langford Lake.

CUSTOMS RETURNS

NANAIMO, March 1.—Local customs collections for the month of February were as follows: Import duties, $3,368.38; excise taxes, $7,799.23; excise duties, $112; sundry collections, $561.80. Total, $11,841.41.

MORE SCHOOL ROOM

COLWOOD, Feb. 28.—The trustees of the Womens Institute have hired the institute room, which adjourns the large Colwood Hall, for a schoolroom until the second room can be added to the present school building. Twenty-three small pupils are enrolled there, with Miss G. Scott as teacher. Miss Scott comes from Saskatchewan, but she had recent teaching experience in Victoria. Great satisfaction is felt in the district over this temporary arrangement, leaving the older pupils less crowded in the schoolhouse.

Liver Trouble

Pains In Stomach

Most of the misery and ill-health that humanity is burdened with arises from disorders of the liver, stomach or bowels.

If you are feeling out of sorts, have pains in the stomach, especially after eating, sour stomach, bilious spells, sick or bilious headaches, heartburn, water brash, etc., you should take a few doses of Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. They will liven up the liver, regulate the bowels, and tone up the stomach.

Mr. T. C. Hallman, Highgate, Ont., writes: "I have had liver trouble and pains in the stomach for a long time. I started to use your Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills, and in a short time I noticed they were helping me. Now I would not be without them and cannot recommend them too highly."

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ALBERNI ATHLETES TO STAGE VAUDEVILLE

The Port's Association Will Hold Entertainment on March 16—News Notes of District

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 28.—Arrangements for the entertainment to be staged by the Port Alberni Athletic Association at the G.W.V.A. Hall on March 16 are well in train, and as the previous entertainment given by this association last Fall was a record-breaker, it is safe to look for further novelties and attractive items at the coming show. There will be about one and a half hours of snappy vaudeville and burlesque followed by a dance in which several unique turns will be introduced. In the vaudeville entertainment the latest song hits, etc., from London and New York will be heard locally for the first time, and the entertainment committee and artists are sparing no pains to make the event a success.

The annual returned men's banquet and smoking concert which is to be held in the Arlington Hotel, Alberni, has been postponed until March 7, owing to there being so much sickness here at present.

Right Rev. Bishop Schofield, who had been here over the week-end and held services in both the Alberns on Sunday last, left here on Tuesday's train on his way to Nanaimo, where a confirmation service is being held.

Mr. Armstrong, of the E. & N. Railway, has arrived in town to take charge of the E. & N. depot here during Mr. O. W. Dey's absence in England.

A large number of children of the Indian Mission School at Alberni are sick with the prevailing epidemic of influenza, about 50 of the children being patients at present.

As a result of the closing of the herring fishing in Barclay Sound, a large number of Japanese have been coming up from the various packing plants, and within the last few days over a hundred have left here by train.

The remains of Mr. John Sinclair, who died in the Vancouver General Hospital, were brought in by train yesterday in charge of Mr. Alex. Sinclair. The funeral took place today to Alberni Cemetery and was attended by a large number of friends of the deceased. Mr. Sinclair had reached the ripe age of 80 years, and was very well known and highly respected in the district. He is survived by a sister, Miss Sinclair, and his brother, Alex. Sinclair, both of whom reside here. For some years Mr. Sinclair had been living at Sproat Lake, where he spent most of his time fishing and trapping.

RADIO AT SIDNEY

Broadcasted Concert in San Francisco Enjoyed at Resthaven

SIDNEY, March 1.—On Tuesday evening, through the courtesy of Dr. Panot, of Resthaven, where a radio telephone has been recently installed, a number of residents of Sidney were invited to Resthaven to listen to a concert broadcasted from San Francisco. The whole programme was heard very distinctly. John McCormack sang "I Hear You Calling Me," and there were three male quartettes and three pieces on the pipe organ by Miss Gladys Salsbury.

The news sent out by the Vancouver station was listened to with interest. The Los Angeles station was heard, but more faintly.

Altogether it was a most interesting evening, it being the first radio concert that had been heard by those attending.

UNION CHURCH CONCERT

South Saanich Entertained at Delightful Event in Temperance Hall

SAANICH, March 1.—The choir of the Union Church, under the direction of Mrs. T. P. Morrow, gave a most delightful concert in the Temperance Hall, South Saanich, last Tuesday evening before a large audience. The seventeen choristers showed to a marked degree their careful training, displaying surprising power and volume, artistically shading the pianissimo effects.

Among the choruses given were "Awake, Aeolian Lyre," "Hail, Smiling Morn," "The Vikings," "Merrily Row," "The Bridal Chorus," "A Rose Maiden," and "The Belfry Tower." Miss E. Nimmo sang "For All Eternity" and "Crowning Water." A liveliness was added to the programme by "Father O'Flynn" and "The Admiral's Broom," sung by Mr. W. McKay. Mrs. Styan recited "The Cripple Boy." During the evening pianoforte solos were given by Misses Anderson, Ferguson, McNabb, Hayes and Styan.

Participants in the choruses were Mesdames Anderson and McNabb, and Misses Gale, McCarthy and McNally. A pleasant feature was added to the afternoon's programme by the presentation of a bouquet to Mrs. Morrow by Miss Sadie Patterson on behalf of the Women's Auxiliary of the church.

Commendable part in the entertainment was taken by the members of the Girls' Club of Sidney Union Church, Miss Styan accompanying exceptionally well. At the close of the concert Councillor Brooks expressed appreciation of the meritorious work done by every member of the audience. The National Anthem brought the affair to a close.

DAUGHTERS OF ST. GEORGE

Oliver Lodge Meets at Nanaimo and Installs Officers for Year

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—At a meeting of Oliver Lodge, Daughters of St. George, last evening, officers were installed for the year by Sister B. Wagstaff, W.P.P., D.D., assisted by Sister B. Pollard, W.P.P., as grand conductor, as follows: W.P.P., Sister N. Wagstaff; W.P., Sister Oventon; W.V.P., Sister B. Wagstaff; W. F. Sec., Sister E. Crutchley; W. Treas., Sister M. Murrat; W. First Con., Sister M. Jolly; W. Second Con., Sister D. Wagstaff; W. Chap., Sister A. Jolley; W.I.G., Sister W. Crutchley; W.O.G., Sister S. S. Murray.

At the conclusion of business of the lodge Sister B. Pollard, on behalf of members of the order, presented Sister Jolley, who is shortly leaving the city, with a purse as a token of the esteem in which she is held by the members of the lodge. A very enjoyable evening was spent in cards, games and music, followed by dainty refreshments, which brought a very happy time to a close.

ELECTRIC SHOP FIRE

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—At 2:10 this morning fire broke out in what is known as the electric shop at No. 1 shaft of the Western Fuel Corporation, where a dynamo is supposed to have short-circuited. Fortunately the blaze was quickly under control, and apart from damage to the electrical machinery, but little damage was done. The dynamo itself was badly damaged, but the flames did not spread to the woodwork to any extent. A quick run by the fire department resulted in water being played on the blaze within five minutes of the first alarm.

CALLS SOUTH AFRICAN WAR DRESS REHEARSAL

Paardeburg Showed, However, Says Major-General That Canadians Could Be Relied Upon

OTTAWA, March 1.—That the South African War had been but a dress rehearsal to the Great War, was the opinion expressed by Major-General J. H. MacBrien, chief of the general staff, at the Paardeburg dinner of the Ottawa South African Veterans here Tuesday. His Excellency Lord Byng of Vimy was elected honorary patron. Major-General MacBrien read a message from the Minister of Defence, Hon. G. R. Graham, as follows:

"Time moves with astonishing rapidity, and it seems but yesterday that Canadians were rejoicing over the wonderful victory of the Battle of Paardeburg. It was at this particular battle that General Cronje and 4,000 Boers surrendered. This was another proof that Canadians could always be depended upon to do their duty with conscientious enthusiasm.

"The methods of warfare prevailing 23 years ago have been greatly changed, but the hearts and valor of Canadian men and women still remain the same."

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How Debt Will Be Paid On Sixty-Two-Year Term

LONDON, March 1—Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday, said that on the basis of the sixty-two year term for payment of the debt to the United States the payments on the debt would be as follows:

An immediate cash payment of $4,128,085; an annual payment of $161,000,000 for ten years and a final payment of $118,481,330, or an aggregate of £2,246,000,000 at par of exchange, and 4 per cent more at 4.88. These figures, he said, had no meaning except in relation to the sixty-two term. If Great Britain paid more speedily, then the aggregate would be reduced.

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CHINAMAN RESISTS RETRIAL OF CHARGE

Justices Further Remand Case of Man Acquitted by Judge on the Charge of Having Opium

Mr. W. W. Northcott, J.P., and Dr. Lewis Hall, J.P., sitting in the police court yesterday for the trial of Wong Chong Quong, charged on remand with importing opium into this country from China, further remanded the case until next Thursday, for consideration of the legal question raised by the defence, namely, that the prosecution should be quashed because the defendant had already been tried and acquitted of the offence.

Mr. W. C. Moresby, appearing for the defendant, briefly recited the facts. He recalled that the Chinaman had been acquitted by Judge Lampman, on an appeal from the conviction of Magistrate Jay. Quong was arrested by customs officers at the outer wharf, when it was found, last December, that 192 tins of opium were concealed beneath the false bottom of his trunk. The new charge had been laid on the same set of facts, at the instance of the Ottawa authorities; and Magistrate Jay had declined to try it, on the ground that he had already given a decision on the evidence.

Mr. Moresby said that the test of the validity of the new prosecution was whether the evidence necessary to support the second proceedings would have been sufficient to procure a legal conviction on the first. The broad principle on which counsel asked their worships to dismiss the charge was that no man should be put in jeopardy of his liberty on a charge of which he had been acquitted.

Mr. C. H. O'Halloran, appearing for the prosecution, reiterated his objection to the defence motion, that the plea for autrefois acquit must be made either within the provisions of the code, or of those of the common law; and that the defence could not be heard until it had defined on what ground it stood.

LOCAL GRAIN GROWERS TO PEEK INTO FUTURE

Victoria Shareholders of United Grain Growers to Hear Western Director at Special Meeting Today

A special meeting of the United Grain Growers of Canada, Victoria local, will be held at the Dominion Hotel this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. C. E. Hone, the new director for the West, will be present and will give an address on the affairs of the company and of the future prospects.

The Grain Growers, as is common knowledge, is one of the biggest commercial organizations in the Dominion, with an annual turnover of between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000. Hon. Mr. Crerar, former head of the Progressives in the Dominion House, is the president. It is not so well known, however, that in Victoria and vicinity there are some 100 shareholders in the company. The latter are looking forward with considerable interest to today's meeting, as Mr. Hope is expected to bring with him to the city important news of the business and of the expectations of the firm.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR ARREST OF WOMAN

Magistrate Estreats Bail When Defendant Fails to Personally Appear in Court

Refusing to continue the trial in the absence of the defendant, Mrs. F. W. Van Sicklin, charged with selling beer last Sunday evening in the Pullman Rooms, Douglas Street, Magistrate Jay yesterday ordered estreatment of the bail in the sum of $400, and issued a warrant for the woman's arrest.

Mr. R. C. Lowe, counsel for the defence, repeated his argument of the day before, when the magistrate had stopped the trial and demanded the presence in court of the accused, that under Section 33 of the Summary Convictions Act, it was sufficient if defendants gave bonds, and appeared in court in the person of counsel.

City Prosecutor Harrison contended that Mr. Lowe's position might be, and probably was tenable in respect of summons cases; but in the case at bar the defendant had been arrested, and had given bail for her appearance. That appearance should be in person; and since the court had directed her to appear, and she was not there, the bail should be estreated.

Magistrate Jay said that he could not agree that the defendant need not be in court. No doubt the court had discretion in such cases to hold trial in defendant's absence, but this was not a case where such a discretion should be exercised in support of the position of the defence. The court could not know who the defendant was unless the person was there to be identified by witnesses. The court could not convict a person by name merely. Bail would be estreated, and a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Van Sicklin would be issued.

Evidence for the prosecution, as far as it was given last Wednesday, was to the effect that two special constables sent into the place by Chief of Police John Fry, had purchased beer from the defendant.

PRINCE OF WALES INJURED HUNTING

LONDON, March 1.—The Prince of Wales when he arrived at the Pilgrims' dinner last night had to be helped from his automobile owing to lameness due to an accident while fox hunting at the last week-end, according to The Daily Mail.

UNIVERSITY IS NOT ABOVE CRITICISM

Prof. Sedgewick Lectures to Audience of 400 on "George Bernard Shaw and the University"

"The University ought to be abreast of the times. The University is the place above all others where things should be seen as they are and, because nobody has any axe to grind, judged impartially and without prejudice," claimed Dr. Sedgewick, Professor of English at the University of British Columbia, in the course of the talk which he gave on Wednesday night at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium under the auspices of Victoria College. About four hundred people attended the lecture, Mr. E. B. Paul, president of the college, occupying the chair and introducing the speaker.

George Bernard Shaw's earnestness was gently questioned by the speaker at the outset, his subject being "George Bernard Shaw and the University." And while basing his address on "G.B.'s" review of Dean Inge's "Outspoken Essays," a review which appeared in the December number of "The Nation," Dr. Sedgewick frequently hinted that the author of the said article must not always be taken too seriously when he challenged men and institutions, and in this particular instance his criticism of the university and the university product might be taken as another instance of his habit of deliberately turning things upside down in order that the public might view them from another and very extravagant angle.

The lecturer opened his address by quoting liberally from the review in question:

"Civilization is being visibly wrecked by educated men," being one of the typically extravagant statements by the author.

"He is far off and I am very obscure; so I am sure we can say at this safe distance that he never means what he says; he turns things upside down so that you can have a good look at it from another point of view," said Dr. Sedgewick. So this was why he had scoffed at the university.

The Holy of Holies

"Put not your hand upon the ark of the covenant!" was the spirit in which the average Englishman regarded the university. Oxford and Cambridge must not be criticised, and consequently George Bernard Shaw set about demonstrating that they were, after all, only human institutions, and that people who were interested in the university problem might well look into the matter. After all, Shaw's charges were old, and they all had considerable truth. Lytton Strachey had also pointed out the Britisher's habit of bowing the knee to graven images.

"There is nothing made with hands that is entitled to the bended knee except the heroic quality," said the speaker.

Shaw accused the university of being the home of the examination system. After all, might it not be worth while to step back and look at the truth hidden in this. The examination system, maintained the speaker, kills education. No student who studied a thing for the purpose of passing examinations alone could get anything out of it. This was a corrupt purpose, and the knowledge gained by this method was ephemeral, "leaving the mind a litter of debris."

The Examination System

"We university teachers are a great deal to blame for the examination system," proceeded the lecturer. There had been no effective substitute for it, however. But to bring the charge against Oxford and Cambridge was not apt, as men from these universities suffered less than most students from examinations of the kind that could be "crammed" for. On the other hand, it must be admitted that Shaw's criticism was, generally speaking, true. Humorously Dr. Sedgewick agreed that in examinations in foreign languages there should be no set passages for translation; it would be better to have a student master the whole subject so that he could quote any passage or translate into Greek a column from the daily paper. The interpretation of what he had learned in the classroom in economics, history, etc., might also be proved in some more practical form of test than at present. At present the examination was a very "hand-picked" sort of thing.

A second criticism which Shaw had made of the University was that it tended to establish and petrify class distinctions. And if they did so they were certainly following the wrong line, acknowledged the speaker. Shaw had supporters in this contention. Bertram Russell, a clear and keen observer, had said earlier that the public school man of England divided other men into two classes: "Our Set" and "The Cad." Any school or institution that drew upon one set only was following dangerous lines. It meant the building up of the sentiment that "we are the chosen folk." And people did not like to be classed as "the other people," "a little off color," "lesser breeds without the law." Even "a damned Colonial" was offensive.

A Regrettable Necessity

"It is very probable that our fees are going up in the university," noted Dr. Sedgewick. It was a regrettable necessity, excused on the principle that those who wanted the higher education must pay for it. But the principle was wrong in result, because many people could not afford to pay. And it was doubtful if any people in British Columbia wanted the students of their university to be drawn from any particular social level. But every time the fees went up that was tending in the direction of class education. Shaw would call the university the home of absolute and obsolete authority, the home of the language and ideas of two generations ago. Dean Inge, in fact, held the view that in business it was an accepted principle that one should sell for as good a price as possible what one could buy for as little a price as possible; yet when it came to the laborer getting a big wage for as little work as he could do the attitude was regarded as diabolical. Shaw criticized this.

The university should live in the modern world in its treatment of history, of economics, of English literature. There was no object in always studying people who were totally dead. No man could competently teach Dickens, Thackeray or Tennyson who did not know contemporary literature. The student even of ancient history must read the newspaper. No really live man wanted his university to be a "whispering enchantment" of the middle ages. Shaw, however, had overlooked the fact that Oxford had produced John Wesley, Newman, Matthew Arnold, all of whom were smashers of fetishes.

ANNOUNCE CONTEST OPEN TO ARTISTS

Royal Canadian Academy of Arts Offers Prizes for Paintings Illustrating Pioneer Life

Artist talent of Canada will have an excellent opportunity of testing itself through a contest which has been arranged by the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts, 255 Bleury Street, Montreal. The details of this competition, which offers a first prize of $500 and second prize of $300, are being published throughout the Dominion by means of circulars issed to artists, art clubs, the press and other sources, and indicate that the idea of the contest is not only to stimulate Canadian art and encourage Canadian artists, but is also intended to foster interest in Canadian history.

The contestants must submit preliminary sketches in oils, these sketches to measure 20 inches in height and 16 inches in width. But tending still further to uniformity is the stipulation of subject and purpose, the competitors being asked to keep in mind the theoretical scheme of decoration of a railway committee room, the general idea being to represent in one of six upright panels the settlement of Canada. The paintings must illustrate a general phase of pioneer life in the Dominion at any period up to the present day, and representing the subject as a figure composition which shall be either realistic, historical or allegorical

Six Sketches Wanted

Only six sketches will be chosen from those submitted. The jury which is making the selection is to be composed of nine Academicians and Associates of the Academy, five to be painters and two to be architects. The artists whose work is chosen will be notified by the secretary and their sketches will be returned so they can proceed with the larger panels for the final competition; these panels must be 72 inches high and 58 inches wide. The artists whose sketches have been chosen for the final competition will be allowed $150 to cover the cost of material, models, etc., half of the amount to be paid to competitors on application to the secretary and the remaining $75 to be paid on receipt of the picture at the annual exhibition. The paintings will in all cases remain the property of the artist, but the Academy reserves the right to exhibit the works elsewhere than at the annual exhibition.

Cure Believed Found For Sleeping Sickness

VANCOUVER, March 1.—General Hospital authorities here believe they have secured a remedy to cope with sleeping sickness, following the treatment of a number of cases of encephalitis lethargia. Dr. T. R. Ponton, medical superintendent of the hospital, stated today that the institution had used a vaccine discovered by the Mayo Research Foundation for isolating the sleeping sickness germ with success. Of fifteen cases treated at the hospital, all given the vaccine treatment, seven have been discharged as cured, six are still under treatment and will be discharged very soon. Two patients have died.

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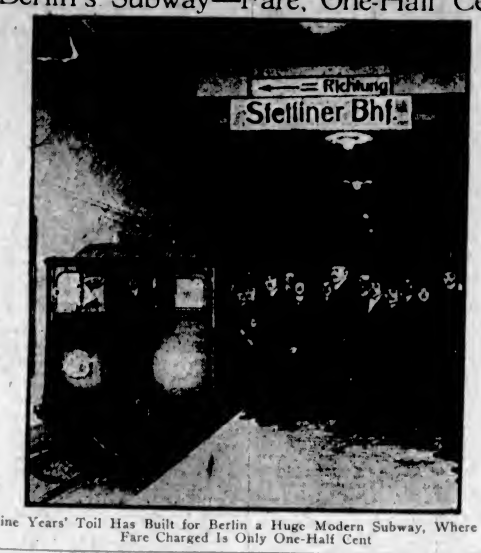

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MORE SUNSHINE AND MORE RAIN RECORDED

Weather Averages for February Were Unusual—Jupiter Pluvius Reigns in North

Owing no doubt to the recent "inclement weather," the average temperature for the month of February in Victoria was 3 degrees below the average, the figure being 38 degrees. The highest temperature recorded at the Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Hill, during the month was on the 27th, when 51 degrees was registered; while the lowest mark was recorded on the 13th, the reading then being 11 degrees, with 10 degrees on the grass.

The total precipitation for the month was 4.10 inches, which is 1 inch above the average, and was made up of 1.22 inches rain and 28.8 inches snow, the last named amount being equivalent to 2.88 inches of water.

Of sunshine, Victorians enjoyed 97 hours 24 minutes during February, which total is 5 hours above the average. This result was due to the remarkably clear weather experienced during the latter half of the month as the first half was unusually cloudy and cold.

As a study in contrasts the following facts as to rainfall as supplied on Wednesday by Mr. W. Napier Denison, are interesting: During the past eight days of February, no less than 14 inches of rain fell at Prince Rupert, this, too, while Victorians have been enjoying such fine weather. In the twenty-four hours ending at 5 a.m. yesterday, no less than 4.64 inches of rain fell at the northern metropolis, and to add variety the rain had turned to snow, which fell all day yesterday.

As showing the mild streak that has struck the Coast, Mr. Denison pointed out last night that at Calgary Wednesday 62 degrees was the record, while at Edmonton the thermometer showed 58 degrees. To the south also fine weather, in fact, Summer weather was experienced Wednesday. In Portland the high mark was 62, in San Francisco 68 was recorded, while in the Sacramento Valley 82 was the reading.

MOTHER GOOSE RHYMES

Social Centre of the Congregational Church Held Enjoyable Entertainment to Aid Choir

The monthly gathering of the Social Centre of the Congregational Church, which was held on Tuesday night, was under the auspices of the choir, who scored a great success with a representation of Mother Goose rhymes in song and costume. The costumes were all good, and their effect was enhanced by the clever lighting arrangements of Mr. Bert Howell. The music was under the direction of Mr. Frederic King, and the librettist was Miss Scowcroft. The proceeds, which amounted to $60, were for the purpose of providing gowns for the choir.

Those who took part in the programme under various characters associated with Mother Goose and other children's classics, were:

Miss Scowcroft, Mr. King, Miss Winifred Scowcroft, Mr. W. Ellis, Mrs. G. Young, Mrs. Osard, Mr. Davies, Mrs. Stokes, Dora Curtis, Mr. Pargiter, Mr. E. R. Lock, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Edwards, Mrs. Copp, Margaret Paterson, Muriel Johnson, Phyllis Ellis, Mr. Warner, Mrs. Paterson, Mrs. Davidson, Charlie Clarke, Miss Cooper, Miss Knappett, Miss Howell, Miss G. Shepherd, Miss Kelley, Miss Griffith, Miss Houghton, Mr. I. Curtis, Mr. Gordon King, Mr McPherson, Mrs. G. Young, Mrs. Wilkerson, Miss A. Thom.

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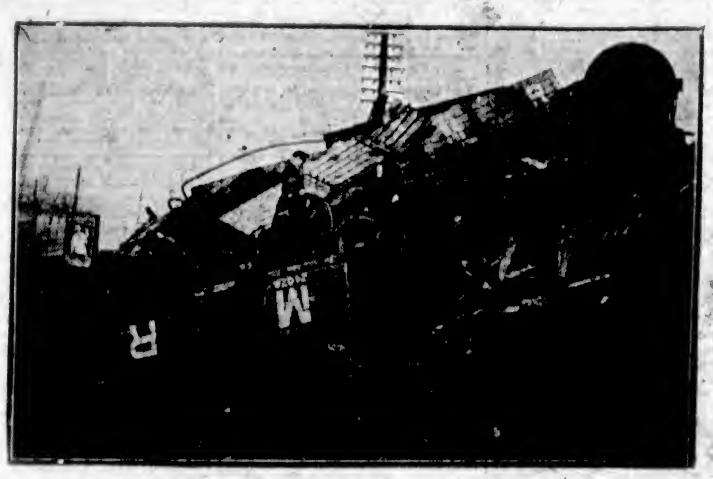
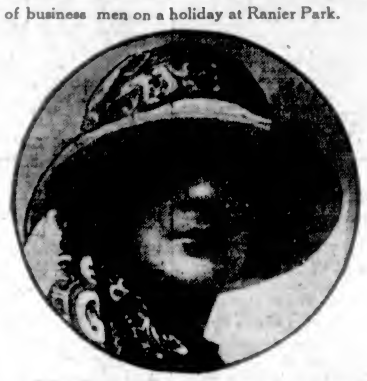
Masanao Hanihara, new Japanese ambassador to the United States.



The rear end of a goods train near Shepherd's Bush, London, W., England, which broke away and crashed over a 40-foot embankment.

Princess Victoria after opening a new children's ward in Guy's Hospital.

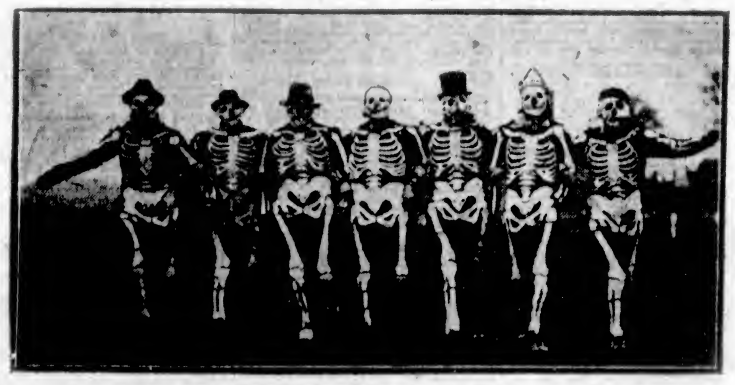


First aids to beauty. On the left, a Deauville kerchief draping the crown of a hat and forming a scarf on the right hand side. At the right a model of gold embroidered lace.

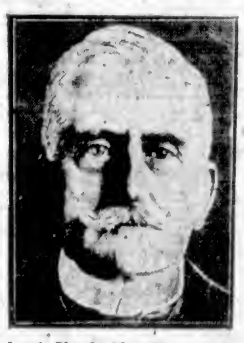
The opening of the 23rd session of the council of the League of Nations at Luxembourg. M. Viviani is presiding. Hon. Arthur Balfour, rep resenting Britain, is fourth from the right.

Head of a statue of Queen Nefertiti, wife of Akhnenaten, the heretic king who was Tutankhamen's father-in-law.

Miss A. Cortere, famous "Magazine Cover Girl," getting into the atmosphere of a lady of the snows.



Some of the skeleton supporters of the St. Mary's rugby team when they met St. George's recently in England.



Lord Claude Hamilton, aged 80, has retired from the chairmanship of the Great Eastern Railway.

The text of one of Billy Sunday's sermons. Thirty stills which he destroyed on a recent visit to Knoxville, Tennessee.

After a correspondence courtship Mr. George Edginton and Mrs. Lilian Cary were married two hours after they met each other at Woodstock. Photo shows the bride receiving her father's congratulations.

Bill Hart, Jr., baby son of the famous movie cowpuncher. His mother and father have separated.

Why consider crawling over Alpine glaciers the only real way to get mountain climbing thrills? A scene on Hamilton bay that offers opportunities of this sort.

Lord Leverhulme snapped with a couple of the masqueraders at the Chelsea arts ball.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Owens' and family wish to thank their many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.

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BARN dance by the Scottish Daughters, in Rex Theatre, Friday, March 2. Gentlemen wear overalls, ladies cotton dresses. Admission: Gents 50c, ladies 35c. Refreshments served.

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DANCE and be merry at the Caledonia Hall, Saturday night.

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5 BRIGHT, sunny rooms, all large. The living-room and dining-room are exceptionally nice. Every modern convenience that the housewife of today demands, sunny bedrooms, the wardrobes having windows. Closed stairway to attic (2 big rooms available here). High, full basement, cement floor, with furnace. Full lot, rich garden soil, numerous large and small fruits. Nice walk to car and close to the private schools. Total taxes $32. A bargain at $3,950. There's nothing in this choice residential section at this price. It must be sold. Immediate possession. Victoria Realty Co., 215-217 Central Bldg. Phone 5035.

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HOUSES FOR SALE 39
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$3500—OAK BAY bungalow of imposing appearance, consisting of 5 good rooms, all built-in features, concrete basement, furnace, good lot with fruit trees. Well situated. Low taxes. Terms.

SEMI-BUNGALOW in Oak Bay, near Shoal Bay, on two very large lots. Hardwood floors, built-in features; four bedrooms, two upstairs and two down; reception hall, living-room, dining-room and kitchen; full cement basement, laundry tubs and furnace. Price on good terms, $3,500.

OAK BAY—Seven-roomed fully modern house; four bedrooms, three upstairs and one down; fine, large living-room with open fireplace, dining-room with open fireplace and built-in features; full-sized cement basement with furnace and laundry tubs. The house is situated on about one-half an acre of ground; all in garden; fruits of all kinds and flowers. This is an exceptionally well built house and is an absolute snap. Price $5,500.

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Lead Also Went Up in Price—Sugar Stocks Among Those That Were Boosted on New York Market

NEW YORK, March 1.—Heavy profit taking failed to halt operations for the rise in today's stock market, speculators for the advance finding little difficulty in selecting new leaders when the old industrial favorites began to falter. Several new high records were made during the session in the sugar, copper and motor accessory groups, and by American Woolens, American Can, U. S. Realty and California Petroleum.

The chief item of trade news was the establishment of a new high price of 17 cents a pound for copper metal, as compared with 14¼ around the first of the year; the doubling of the Utah Copper dividend, placing it on a $4 annual basis, and sales of Cuban raw sugar at 5⅝ cents a pound, the highest price since 1919.

Lead Advanced

As the market closed the American Smelting & Refining Co. raised the price of lead from 8.10 to 8.15.

The usual market leaders moved within a comparatively narrow range, United States Steel closing ⅝ lower, Baldwin, ⅛ higher, at 123⅝, and Studebaker ⅜ higher, at 120⅛.

American Smelting was the outstanding copper stock, jumping 3¼ points to 68½. Utah yielded fractionally in response to the traditional "selling on good news." Anaconda, Chino and United States Smelting closed at least a point higher and the others fractionally.

Railroad Shares Reactionary

Railroad shares were slightly reactionary, despite the publication of more favorable January earnings statements.

Call money opened at 5 per cent, dropped to 4½ within an hour, and then advanced again to 5, where it closed.

Time money continues firm, with loans made at 5½ per cent for the longer maturities. The ruling rate on prime commercial paper is 5 per cent, with a few exceptions commanding 4¾.

Only a limited amount of new paper is coming in.

Exchange Irregular

Trading in the foreign exchange market was quiet and irregular, demand sterling selling around $4.70½, and francs just below 6.10 cents.

Strength and activity of copper company liens featured today's bond market, which presented a firmer tone than on any other day this week.

Gains of 1½ to 2½ points were scored by Cerro de Pasco 5's, Chile Copper 7's and Magna Copper 7's.

In the foreign group, the only noteworthy changes were losses of more than 4 points in Netherland 6's and approximately a point each in Berne's and Framerican 7½'s, and a gain of 1 point in Serbian 8's.

Total sales, par value, were $10,182,000.

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Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers	50-6	50-4	50-9
Am. Beet Sugar	49-4	49-4	49-4
Am. Can. Co., com	104-4	103-8	103-1
Am. Car Fdy.	149-4	146-4	149-4
Am. Ic. Corp.	66	65-3	66
Am. Locomotive	196-6	194-5	196-9
Am. Smelt & Ref.	65-4	65-4	68-4
Am. Sugar Rfg.	92	90	92
Am. T. and Tel.	124-1	123-1	124-1
Am. Wool, com.	107-9	106-4	107
Am. Steel Fdy.	36-1	35-1	34-1
Anaconda Mining	52-4	51	52-2
Atchison	109-5	109-1	109-5
Atlantic Gulf	96	79-4	95-4
Baldwin Loco.	136-3	136-4	138-4
Baltimore & Ohio	53-3	52-4	53-3
Bethlehem Steel	66	57-8	57-9
Brooklyn Transit	9-3	8-9	8-5
Canadian Pacific	146-4	146-4	149-2
Central Leather	97-4	97	97
Crucible Steel	91-5	89	89-4
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	29-3	29-3	29-4
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	94-3	94-3	94-3
Cons. Gas	87-9	86-4	86-7
China Copper	31-3	30-4	31-3
Cal. Petroleum	36-4	35-3	36-4
Chile Copper	30-3	30	30-3
Corn Products	124-1	124-4	128
Erie	13-5	12-4	12-4
Gen. Electric	186	186	186
Gen. Motors	19	14-7	18
Goodrich (B. F.)	47-2	47-1	47-1
Gt. Nor. Ore.	94-4	94	94-4
Granby	92-5	90-1	89-4
Gt. Northern, pfd.	74-3	73-3	73-3
Inspiration Cop.	43-9	43-4	42-5
Int'l Nickel	15-5	15	15-3
Int'l Mer. Marine	10-6	10-4	10-6
Int'l Mer. Marine, pfd.	41-9	40-3	41
Kennecott Copper	45	44-4	44-9
Kan. City Southern	93-4	93-3	93-4
Lehigh Valley	63-9	63-3	63-3
Miami Copper	30-9	29-6	30
National Lead	120	120	120
N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	30-3	30	30
New York Central	98-3	97-3	97-5
Northern Pacific	76-9	79-3	76-9
N. Y., Ont. & Western	16-1	16-4	15-4
Nevada Cons. Copper	17-4	16-7	16-7
Pennsylvania R. R.	49-2	46-3	46-2
People's Gas	91	90-8	91
Pressed Steel Car	64-4	64	64
Reading	79-4	78-4	79-4
Ry. Steel Spring	118-3	116	117-4
Ray Cons. Mining	17-1	16-7	17-1
Republic Steel	60-5	58-4	59-4
Rin. Oil	54	54	53-5
Southern Pacific	93-4	92-3	92-3
Southern Ry., com.	33-4	33-3	33-2
Studebaker Corpn.	121-3	119-4	120
Sloss Sheffield	53-3	53-4	51-7
The Texas Company	51-7	51-4	51-5
Tob. Prod.	54-7	54	54-7
Union Pacific	142-4	142	142
Utah Copper	76	74-9	74-7
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	79-5	66-4	70
U. S. Rubber	60-3	60-8	59-8
U. S. Steel, com.	107-9	106-4	107
Virginia Chem.	25-3	25-3	24-5
Western Union	119-5	116	116
Wabash R. R., "A"	30-1	29-7	30
Willys-Overland	7-3	7-4	7-5
Westinghouse Elec.	64-3	62-7	64-3
Allied Chem. & Dye.	78	77-4	77-7
Phillips Petroleum	60-7	59-7	60-3
Comput. & Tabulat.	78-7	76-7	78-7
Standard Oil, Indiana	67-4	67-1	67-3
Sears Roebuck	88-3	86-4	86-4
Am Ship & Commerce	17-4	17-0	17-0
Union Oil	18-4	18-1	18-4
Am. Linseed	34	34	34
General Asphalt	47	46-0	46-0
Kelly Springfield	94	89-3	88-3
Coca Cola	77-2	75-4	76-4
Columbia Graphophone	3-3	3-2	3-3
Chic. & Northwest, Ry.	98	98-4	98
United Fruit	176	179	176
Famous Play. Las. Car.	90	89-1	89-1
Key Tire & Rubber Co.	9-5	8-3	9-2
Nat. Enamel	69	66-3	68-2
Nevada Consolidated	17-4	17-1	17-3
Martin Perry Corp.	31-4	30-0	31-1
Pere Marquette	36-4	36-1	39-1
Endicott Johnson	79-3	76-3	79-2
Transcontinental Oil	12	11-7	12
Invincible Oil	17-9	17-1	17-1
White Motors	64-3	63-7	64-2
Pullman Co.	166	176-7	186-7
Pacific Oil	49-4	44-5	49-9
Pan-American	63-5	61-3	63-3
Beach Car	50-3	48-2	50
Chandler Motors	79-8	78	79-2

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France, demand, 6.08½.
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Holland—Demand, 39.55; cables, 39.60.
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Switzerland—Demand, 18.76.
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Cuban Cane Sugar	16-3	17-7	18
Pierce Arrow	13	12-3	13
Retail Stores	93-3	90-7	91-4
Stan. Oil of California	62-3	61-3	62-1
Replogle Steel	99-4	96	96
Royal Dutch	93-3	58-4	59-4
Texas Pacific Ry.	29	28	29
Cosden	50-3	50	49-1
Vanadium	49-6	48-4	49-9
Stromberg Car	99-0	91-4	93-9
Middlestates Oil	11-9	11-4	11-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	91-4	81	91-3
Montgomery Ward	24-4	24-4	24-4
Midvale Steel	30	26-5	29-5
Pure Oil	61-3	60-7	61
Mexican Seaboard	16-3	17-6	16
Gulf States Steel	92-7	91-4	92-4

BANK CLEARINGS OF CANADIAN CENTRES

WINNIPEG, March 1.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1923	1922
Montreal	$97,810,639	$114,409,841
Toronto	86,182,811	101,990,169
Winnipeg	34,970,953	40,928,010
Vancouver	18,066,969	18,012,498
Halifax	3,996,746	3,844,061
St. John	3,697,384	3,533,060
Quebec	5,775,739	4,516,092
Ottawa	5,349,993	5,476,743
Hamilton	4,690,479	4,746,912
London	3,909,754	3,814,704
Windsor	3,067,890	2,809,949
Regina	3,956,945	3,999,949
Saskatoon	1,136,689	1,414,092
Calgary	4,271,666	9,090,609
Edmonton	3,852,680	4,009,616
Victoria	1,684,710	1,967,704
Moncton	966,647	901,764
Sherbrooke	990,791	761,706
Kingston	462,275	664,418
Peterboro	697,187	646,623
Brantford	763,290	681,419
Kitchener	979,875	985,831
Fort William	938,460	.....
Brandon	435,610	903,929
Prince Albert	326,086	319,674
Moose Jaw	601,652	1,020,998
Lethbridge	719,770	571,679
Medicine Hat	385,715	946,947
New Westminster	467,899	454,898

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 103 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Athabasca Oil	.19	.16
Bowena Copper	..	.09
Boundary Bay Oil	.00¾	.00¾
B.C. Perm. Loan	89.00	..
B.C. Fishing Co.	20.00	25.00
B.C. Refining Co.	..	.38
B.C. Silver	.75	..
Canada Copper	..	.05
Cen. Nat. Fire	50.00	..
Cons. M. & So.	27.00	29.00
Crow's Nest Coal	..	53.00
Cork Province	.10	..
Douglas Channel	.02½	..
Empire Oil	.01	.01½
Granby	29.00	30.00
Great West Perm.	..	40.00
Howe Sound	0.75	0.80
Hemlock Gold	..	.55
Indian Mines	.30	..
Int'l Coal	..	.21
McDillivray	.46	..
Nugget	.00½	.01½
Pacific Coast Fire	2.90	..
Rambler-Cariboo	4.89	..
Silversmith	.48	..
Silver Crest	..	.04
Spartan Oil	.01½	.01½
Snowstorm	.09	.04
Standard Lead	.25	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.26
Surf Inlet	..	.56
Stewart Lands	..	10.00
Trojan Oil	.09	.09¼
Utility Oil	.00¾	.00¾
Whalen, com.	4.00	..
Whalen, pfd.	..	30.00
Wonderphone	..	.30

MONTREAL STOCKS

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	Close.
Bell Telephone	117
Brazilian Tran.	19-5
Can. Cement, com.	39
Can. Car Fdy., com.	32
Can. S. S., com.	17
Can. S. S., pfd.	51
Cons. M. & S.	93
Dominion Canners	70-3
Dom. Textile	67
Abitibi	71
Atlantic Sugar	92-7
Howard Smith	80
National Breweries	56
Quebec Ry.	24
Shawinigan	119
Spanish Riv. Pulp	98
Spanish Riv. Pulp, pfd.	109
Steel of Can.	77
Wayagamac Pulp	50

VICTORIA VICTORY BOND

Victory Loan 5½%

	Will Buy	Will Sell
1st Nov., 1922	99.00	100.00
1st Nov., 1924	1002.00	1012.00
1st Dec., 1927	1027.00	1037.00
1st Nov., 1933	1090.00	1098.00
1st Nov., 1934	1024.50	1034.00
1st Dec., 1937	1079.00	1089.00
1st Nov., 1938	1081.00	1091.00

War Loan 5%

1st Dec., 1925	1009.00	1019.00
1st Oct., 1931	1009.00	1019.00
1st March, 1937 (payable in New York)	1027.50	1037.50

Add interest accrued to date.
Per $1,000—1922, 1927, 1937 Victorias, 13.56.
Per $1,000—1923, 1924, 1933, 1934 Victorias, 18.06.

WORLD'S METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Copper strong; electrolytic, spot and futures, 19⅝ to 17.
Tin, spot and nearby, $46.75; futures, $47.
Iron steady and unchanged.
Lead firm; spot, $8.15 to $8.60.
Zinc firm, spot and nearby, $7.75.
Antimony, spot, $7.90 to $7.95.

At London

Copper, standard, spot, £73 10s; futures, £74 5s 6d.
Electrolytic, spot, £80 10s, futures, £81.
Tin, spot, £211 12s 9d; futures, £212 5s.
Lead, spot, £26 3s 6d; futures, £26 12s 9d.
Zinc, spot, £93 5s 9d; futures, £97 7s.

SILVER AND MONEY

LONDON, Mar. 1.—Bar silver 31 15-16d per ounce. Money 2½ per cent.
Discount rates: Short bills and three months' bills 2¾ per cent.

New York Rates

NEW YORK, Mar. 1.—Foreign bar silver 69⅝. Mexican dollars 50⅝.
Call money easier; high 5; low 4½; ruling rate 5; closing bid 5; offered at 5½; last loan 5; call loans against acceptances 4½.
Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 5 and 5½; 4-9 months, 5 and 5½.
Prime commercial paper 4½ and 5.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, Mar. 1.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:
Total reserve decreased £1,195,000.
Circulation increased £1,669,000.
Bullion increased £6,709.
Other securities increased £4,672,000.
Other deposits increased £6,797,000.
Public deposits decreased £1,194,000.
Notes reserve decreased £1,893,000.
Government securities decreased £24,000.
The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 17.19 per cent; last week it was 16.54 per cent.
Rate of discount 2 per cent.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 1.—Eggs good; butter strong; cheese firm.
Cheese—Finest Easterns, 24½c to 25¼c.
Butter—Choicest creamery, 39½c to 53c.
Eggs—Fresh, 47c.
Potatoes—Per bag, $1.05 to $1.10.

NEW YORK SUGAR

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Raw Sugar—	Close.
July, per lb.	5.75c
Sept., per lb.	5.82c

DULL DAY IN WHEAT AWAITING CROP NEWS

Information as to Conditions Connected With Winter Variety Is Sought

WINNIPEG, Mar. 1.—Traders in local market appear to be awaiting for some developments in either foreign demand or authentic news as to the real conditions of the Winter wheat crop, and as a result today's session was extremely dull, with prices holding firm. Export centres reported no improvement in the situation, with offerings of Manitoba liberal but held at prices above Argentine, which is in good demand on the continent.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	114¼	114¼	114	114¼
July	119¼	119⅝	119	119⅝
Oats—				
May	48⅝	48⅝	48⅛	48⅛b
July	48⅛	..	..	48⅜a
Barley—				
May	97⅝	97⅝	97½	97½
July	98⅝	99⅝	99⅛a	99⅛a
Flax—				
May	224¼	224	223	223¼
July	229	229¼	227¼	227¾a
Rye—				
May	82	82	81½	81⅝
July	..	..	..	82a

Cash prices: Wheat—1 nor., 111½; 2 nor., 109¼; 3 nor., 106¼; No. 4, 101½; No. 5, 94¾; No. 6, 87¾; feed, 78¾; track, 111¾.
Oats—2 cw., 48½; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 46¾; 1 feed, 42¾; 2 feed, 41¾; rejected, 40; track, 48½.
Barley—6 cw., 54¾; 4 cw., 50¾; rejected and feed, 46¾; track, 58.
Flax—1 nw., 232¼; 2 cw., 228¼; 3 cw. and rejected, 207¼; track, 233¼.
Rye—2 cw., 78¾.

NEW YORK CURB

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Industrials	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Coal	50	56
Car L. & Pow.	1⅛	1⅝
Durant Motors	70	70⅝
Goodyear, com.	34	34⅝
Goodyear, pfd.	47⅛	49
Mesabi	10½	10¾
Phil Morris	18¼	18⅝
Stutz Motors	19	19⅝
Radio, com.	9⅝	9⅞
Radio, pfd.	8	8¼
Tob. Exports	5	5¼
Un. Profit Shar.	6½	6⅝
Un. Ret. Candy	7⅛	7½
Willys C. 8% pfd.	8	10
Cities Svc., com.	190	191
Cities Svc., pfd.	65⅝	66
Cities Svc., Bkrs.	19⅝	19¾
Oils		
Allen	20	30
Boston Wyo.	1⅜	1⅝
Carib. Synd.	5⅛	5⅜
Federal	29	30
Glenrock	1½	1⅝
Hudson	19	19
Int'l Pete.	24¼	24½
Maracaibo	10¼	10⅝
Mountain Prod.	19⅝	19
Mutual	14⅝	14⅝
Omer	1	1 1-16
Pennock	11½	11¾
Ryan Cons.	8	9¼
Salt Cr. Prod.	24⅝	24½
Salt. Cr. Cons.	16⅝	16⅝
Sapulpa	2⅞	2⅝
Mines		
Boston Mont.	10	11
Cal. & Jerome	26	28
Consol Copper	4	4¼
Cresson	9⅝	2⅝
Dundee	30	40
Eureka Cro.	27	28
Hecla	6⅝	9
Hollinger	18	18⅛
Howe Sound	4⅛	4⅛
Ind. Lead	35	37
Kerr Lake	2⅞	9¼
Nipissing	9	9¼
Ray Herc.	1⅛	1⅝
Un. Eastern	2⅛	2¼
Un. Verde Ext.	21⅝	22
Wayne Coal	9	9¼

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
New York sterling, 4.70½.
France, 6.07½.
Lire 4.91.
Marks, .000043.
London bar silver, 31 15-16d.

NEW YORK COTTON

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	35.44	35.44	29.05	26.40
Mar.	30.00	30.25	29.35	30.20
May	30.08	30.37	30.76	30.33
July	29.05	30.90	29.59	29.97
Oct.	28.30	28.37	28.49	28.22

U. S. LIBERTY BONDS

Liberty 3½'s	101.24
Liberty 1st 4's	97.80
Liberty 2nd 4's	97.94
Liberty 1st 4¼'s	97.92
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	97.74
Liberty 3rd 4¼'s	97.94
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	97.60
Victories, 4¾'s	100.04

MARKET WAS CHOPPY IN CHICAGO WHEAT

Profit Taking Resulted on a Bulge Following Information of Passage of Farm Credit Bill

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CHICAGO, Ill., March 1.—Wheat: The market has been a choppy affair today with early buying apparently based largely on the crop news, the weather continuing dry and mild in the West and Southwest, with no indication of rain. Later there was profit taking on a bulge caused by the passage of the farm credits bill by the public, costing the market all of its early advance. Later the market hardened a little and the tone was fairly firm.

The cash situation holds little that is consoling to the bulls in wheat. The crop situation may or may not become bullish later on. It is too ambiguous at the present time to afford much aid and sustenance to the bulls. Argentine wheat is cutting under even Manitobas, and the premiums for Manitobas are selling off materially.

We recognize that the weather conditions will be a vital factor in wheat, but barring something of a concreto bullish character, we think the supply and demand conditions will continue to dominate the market, making sales advisable on the rallies.

Corn: A local house puts out an estimate that farm reserves of corn will be around 855,000,000 bushels. This is a very bullish estimate as a year ago farm reserves were 1,213,000,000, and two years ago 1,565,000,000 bushels. If the government shows anything like this estimate it would indicate a strong position in this cereal. Today the cash demand was moderate, but prices were steady relatively, and there was little pressure from the country. We look for cautious trading pending the government estimate on reserves, which will be out March 8.

Oats: Northwest advices are a little more bullish, indicating Eastern interests are good buyers of cash oats, and following advance with 600,000,000 bushel ordered out for shipments the past few days. This is in line with reports that the South and Southeast are good buyers of oats. Receipts not very heavy compared to a year ago, as they were. There is a disposition to look for a rather bullish showing on farm reserves, which, if confirmed, would create increased buying.

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	114-5	114-2	113-3	113-7
May	118-5	119-5	118-4	118-6
July	116-4	118-2	116-1	116-6
Corn—				
Sept.	78-4	77-3	78-2	77-3
May	74-2	75-3	74-1	74-3
July	75-5	76-1	75-2	76-4
Oats—				
Sept.	46-5	49-7	43-3	42-7
May	45	45-2	44-4	45-3
July	44-7	45	44-4	45

SUGAR REACHES HIGH POINT AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 1.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 7.40; refined, granulated, 8.50 to 9.00.

Raw sugar today touched the highest level recorded since 1920, selling at 5 5-8 cents cost and freight, equal to 7.40 cents for centrifugal for March shipment.

WILL NOT CLOSE POINT AT JASPER

OTTAWA, March 1.—The railway commission today refused the application of the Canadian National Railways to close the divisional point at Jasper, Alberta, and consolidate it with existing terminal facilities at Lucerne, B.C.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO COMMISSION

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evidence produced showed plainly that the onus of proof is thrust upon the man and the benefit of the doubt is not given to him.

"The thanks of all returned men are due the Hon. Doctor Beland, Minister of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, for his happy selection of commissioners. The inquiry was conducted in a spirit of fair play and consideration for all and with an evident desire to get at the truth. The greatest courtesy was extended to the men's advocate, and they were allowed to present their case in their own way. It is sincerely hoped that their report will point out the way to Parliament and clear the path for the disabled man, ridding it once and for all of the many obstacles which now hinder equitable progress."

Admission by Col. Proctor

During the hearing before the Commission Mr. Twigg subjected Col. Proctor, the chief medical officer of the S.C.R. for this Province, to a considerable amount of examination. Admissions were secured from Col. Proctor under this examination by Mr. Twigg as follows:

That as unit medical director here he was unable to familiarize himself with pensions procedure and regulations, though responsible for the administration thereof in the unit, and though pension medical examiners were employed within his discretion.

That an eligibility board with regard to treatment was not held in all cases, but was convened solely at his discretion.

That frequently there ensued a considerable delay in deciding upon attributability and that men were frequently released from treatment with a board before the proceedings of the eligibility board commenced; that no monetary provision was made for dependents during this period.

That upon complaint with regard to pension, review was undertaken by the medical men associated with the original decision.

That the review upon complaint did not invite the submission of any evidence apart from that usually mentioned in form 819.

That no definite instructions were regularly issued to applicants for pension or medical treatment where attributability was under dispute, to show just what further evidence would be required to establish a claim, and that the onus rested upon the applicant to secure any evidence to substantiate any statement made before the departmental officials.

That the practice did not absolutely safeguard against the possibility of a summary rejection of claims for pensions or medical treatment without adequate review.

That frequently after rejection and prolonged delay, claims are more favorably reviewed by the unit office, though no monetary provision had been made for the man or his dependents.

That frequently the recommendations of sub-unit officers, or district representatives are over-ruled by a district office without personal examination of the men.

Mr. Twigg's Suggestions

On request, Mr. Twigg compiled a list of suggestions made before the commission. The suggestions advanced by Mr. Twigg, member of the Central Veterans' Committee of British Columbia, were as follows:

1. That faulty procedure had arisen from the inadequate definition of "disability," as given in the Pension Act; that the present definition stipulates "loss or lessening of the power, etc. . . . " whereas the disability frequently arose from an abnormal increase of such power.

2. That the disability table employed by pensions medical examiners had not been published and should be made available to all applicants.

3. That a comparison of the Canadian disability table with the disability tables employed in England and Allied count

Marine and Transportation

TYNDAREUS SETS RECORD FOR PORT

DRAWS VIRTUALLY 32 FEET ON ARRIVAL YESTERDAY

Blue Funnel Steamer Would Have Been Unable to Reach Dock Had Tide Been Low

What is considered record draft for the port of Victoria was established yesterday morning with the arrival of the Blue Funnel steamer Tyndareus from Seattle on her way to sea. When Capt. J. Gosse, Blue Funnel pilot, brought the vessel in to her berth at the Rithet wharves, she was drawing 32 feet and 11 inches. This is the most ever drawn by any ship of the Blue Funnel fleet when entering or leaving Victoria, according to Capt. Gosse. Had it been low tide, instead of high, she would have been unable to get alongside the dock. As it was, she managed to creep in without trouble, but her great draft required careful handling of her. It was just about 3 o'clock when she made her appearance from Seattle, and at that hour there was, fortunately, plenty of water.

A mammoth cargo was responsible for the Tyndareus' record. She was an absolutely full ship, with every available inch of cargo space crammed with freight.

When the Talthybius sailed three weeks ago she was in much similar condition to the Tyndareus yesterday, but fell short by some margin of the latter's draft. Blue Funnel steamers with recent sailings have been deeply laden. The eastbound cargo movement has been picking up and the vessels of this line have been getting perhaps even more than their share.

Chinese passengers and mails for the Orient were taken on by the Tyndareus while here yesterday, and the vessel then cleared for Yokohama and other ports of the Far East.

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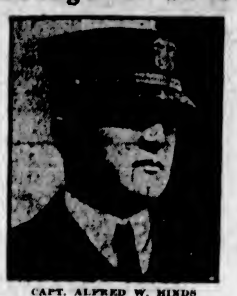

CAPT. ALFRED W. MIXDS
who has been appointed maritime superintendent of the Panama Canal.

TWO DUTCH STEAMERS WILL BE WITHDRAWN

Kinderdyk and Eemdyk Now Making Last Voyage in the Pacific Coast Service

The steamers Eemdyk and Kinderdyk, of the Holland-America Line, are making their final voyages at the present time between the Pacific Coast and Europe. On arrival at Rotterdam they will be diverted to other routes and other ships assigned to their places in the schedule to these waters.

The new motorship Drechtdyk will take the place of one of them. Pending the completion of yet another Dutch motor vessel, it is reported that the Loch Monar, a new R. M. S. P. motorship, will take the place of the other. The R. M. S. P. and the Dutch company operate jointly to this coast.

The Kinderdyk was formerly the German steamer Nassau and was taken over from Germany by Great Britain after the war and assigned to replace one of that country's ships sunk by the Teuton submarines.

CATTLE FOR ENGLAND

MONTREAL, March 1.—W. A. Coates, director of several shipping interests, today declared that his company's survey showed that between 80,000 and 100,000 Canadian store cattle would be available for shipment to Britain this year. Mr. Coates pointed out that during the war, when the cattle rate was $45 per head, there was not a rush for the business. How much there will be now, with rates from $20 to $22.50 per head, is a speculative matter, he said.

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HALIBUT FLEET MAY BECOME IDLE

CLOSED SEASON IN THE NORTH PACIFIC URGED

Halibut Said to Be Following Salmon —Washington Favors Signing of Fish Pact

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 1.—Amid the excitement of the last few days of a closing session, members of the Washington delegation, assisted by senators from California and Oregon, were making a desperate effort to obtain the ratification of a treaty before Congress adjourns.

This treaty proposes to close the North Pacific Ocean against fishing for halibut during the spawning season. The draft of the treaty was approved yesterday by the Canadian authorities. Before it can be sent to the Senate this draft must be verified by signatories at Washington.

On representations made to the State Department today by Delegate Sutherland and a representative of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, the State Department induced the British Embassy to wire to Canada for authority to sign the document on behalf of the Dominion of Canada.

Going Way of Salmon

If the treaty is signed the halibut fishing fleet that piles out of Seattle and other North Pacific ports will be idle next Winter. The halibut fishermen favor the signing of the treaty, for they fear that otherwise the halibut fishing industry will be destroyed. Halibut spawn during the Winter months and it is asserted that thousands of pounds of spawning fish were brought to the North Pacific ports since last November, thereby greatly decreasing the future supply.

In urging immediate action upon this treaty, it was pointed out to the State Department that unless this Winter fishing is stopped or restricted North Pacific halibut will suffer the fate of the Fraser River salmon. Nearly twenty years ago American and British diplomats began to formulate a treaty to restrict fishing on the Fraser River and in American waters near the mouth of that stream. For one reason or another this treaty has never been ratified, and in the meantime the salmon have been virtually annihilated.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Ship Radio Reports

(By Canadian Government Wireless)

Positions at 8 o'clock last night unless otherwise specified.

Canadian Farmer, bound Victoria, 138 miles from Victoria; Grace Dollar, 635 miles from Vancouver, bound Taku Bar; Robin Gray, 230 miles from Flattery, bound Seattle; Robin Adair, due Vancouver midnight; El Cedro, 1,016 miles north of Los Angeles, bound Anyox; Arizona Maru, 229 miles from Flattery, bound Yokohama; President Harrison, Portland for San Francisco, 30 miles from Cape Mendocino; Makukona, 155 miles from St. Helens, bound San Pedro; Wapama, 62 miles from Columbia River, bound Portland; Canadian Inventor, 715 miles from San Francisco; Latouche, Hyder for Petersburg, 115 miles from Petersburg; Yokohama Maru, 49.25 north, 129.11 west, bound Yokohama; Atlas, 719 miles from Richmond; Charlie Watson, 124 miles from Point Wells; H. P. Harper, 322 miles from Seattle; Edna Christianson, 17 miles from Gray's Harbor, bound San Pedro; Tusculoosa City, due Race Rocks 6 a.m., March 2; Julia Luckenbach, arrived Astoria 4:30 p.m., bound Portland; Hartwood, 35 miles from Grey's Harbor; tug Daniel Kern, at Buckley Bay, 6 p.m., southbound.

6 P.M. Weather Report, March 1

Point Grey—Cloudy, S.E., strong; 30.35, 43; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Snow, calm; 30.02, 32; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor—Squally, W., strong; 30.02, 36; sea rough.

Prince Rupert—Snow, calm; 29.94, 30; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Snow, calm; 29.84, 29; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Snow, N.W., fresh; 30.13, 38; sea smooth, thick seawards.

Ocean Falls—Cloudy, calm; 29.89, strong; 29.93, 43; sea rough.

Estevan—Passing showers, N.W., 40; sea smooth.

Steamship Arrivals

ABERDEEN, March 1.—Sailed: Ednia Christensen, San Pedro; Hoquiam, San Francisco.

TACOMA, March 1.—Arrived: Northwestern, Alaska ports; Stanwood, San Francisco; Manila Maru, Vancouver. Sailed: Atlas, San Francisco, via ports; Yosemite, San Francisco, via Seattle; Florence Luckenbach, New York, via Port Angeles; Cordova, Alaska ports, via Seattle; Ohioan, New York, via ports; Griffco, Stewart, B.C.

SEATTLE, March 1.—Arrived: J. A. Moffatt, San Pedro; Admiral Sebree, San Francisco; Toyooka Maru, Kobe; Admiral Rodman, Port Angeles; Griffco, Anyox; Lurline, Honolulu; Minnesotan, Boston; Admiral Dewey, Everett; J. C. Kirkpatrick, San Pedro; Cordova, Tacoma; Yosemite, San Francisco; Florence Luckenbach, Everett. Sailed: Tyndareus, Manila; Griffco, Stewart, B.C.; Admiral Dewey, San Pedro.

BELLINGHAM, March 1.—Sailed: Catherine D., Hoona.

PORTLAND, March 1.—Arrived: Motorship Boobyalla, San Francisco; American, New York; Dochra, Boston; electroship Cuba, San Francisco; Brookings, San Francisco. Sailed: Eagle, Puget Sound.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Arrived: Northland, Port Angeles; Brooklyn, Bandon; Columbia, New Orleans; Wheaton, Portland, Maine.

Arrived

NEW YORK, March 1.—President Polk, Plymouth; Antonia, Southampton; Oscar II, Copenhagen; Regina, Liverpool; Chicago, Havre.

KOBE, March 1.—Pomona, Seattle; President Taft, San Francisco; Alabama Maru, Tacoma, Feb. 27.—West Jena, Portland, Ore.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Santa Clara, San Francisco.

HAMBURG, Feb. 23.—Thuringia, New York.

Promoted in C.N.R.

MR. J. A. YATES
formerly treasurer for the Canadian National Railways at Montreal, has been promoted to general treasurer of the system, with headquarters in Montreal.

BALTIMORE, March 1.—Colombia, San Francisco.

HONG KONG, March 1.—President Grant, Tacoma and Seattle.

Sailed

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb. 28.—Invergoil, San Pedro.

CRISTOBAL, Feb. 26.—James McGee, Los Angeles; A. C. Bedford, Los Angeles; Livingston Roe, Los Angeles.

NEW YORK, March 1.—John D. Archbold, Los Angeles; Minnekahda, Hamburg.

ANTWERP, Feb. 28.—Manchurian, New York.

BREMEN, Feb. 28.—President Roosevelt, New York, and sailed from Southampton, March 1.

MANILA, March 1.—Achilles, Seattle and Tacoma.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MARCH, 1923

Day	Time.	H't	Time.	H't	Time.	H't	Time.	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1 ..	3:46	7.7	7:34	6.6	13:45	8.7	16:08	2.3
2 ..	5:16	7.6	8:38	6.5	13:46	6.6	20:48	3.0
3 ..	5:33	8.1	9:18	5.6	14:41	5.5	21:53	3.7
4 ..	4:03	8.2	10:05	4.9	15:27	4.5	22:11	3.4
5 ..	4:39	8.4	10:36	4.3	16:28	7.5	23:55	4.0
6 ..	5:42	8.5	11:46	3.3	17:37	7.4	23:40	3.1
7 ..	8:41	8.6	13:43	3.5	19:33	7.1	.....	
8 ..	0:57	6.5	3:17	3.3	13:46	3.5	21:33	7.6
9 ..	1:16	6.3	3:39	3.4	14:50	3.6	.....	
10 ..	.....		7:46	3.5	15:55	2.6	.....	
11 ..	.....		8:41	3.5	16:51	3.6	.....	
12 ..	3:57	8.1	9:46	7.8	6:43	3.6	17:44	3.0
13 ..	5:03	8.5	6:47	7.5	16:43	7.3	18:34	3.1
14 ..	5:55	8.8	7:36	7.0	16:57	7.1	19:20	3.3
15 ..	3:34	7.9	8:26	6.3	12:01	7.5	20:02	3.5
16 ..	3:14	7.8	3:56	3.9	15:57	7.0	20:41	3.9
17 ..	5:21	7.9	3:21	4.0	14:48	7.4	21:18	4.3
18 ..	3:27	8.0	10:05	4.3	13:57	7.3	21:53	4.7
19 ..	3:59	8.0	10:48	4.5	16:58	7.0	22:24	5.2
20 ..	4:35	8.0	11:13	4.8	17:38	6.8	22:55	5.6
21 ..	4:43	7.9	12:01	4.6	18:54	3.7	23:14	5.8
22 ..	4:37	7.8	13:50	3.2	20:01	6.7	23:08	6.6
23 ..	.....		4:33	7.3	13:49	5.3	.....	
24 ..	.....		4:54	8.0	14:36	5.4	.....	
25 ..	.....		5:27	8.1	15:36	5.2	.....	
26 ..	.....		6:32	8.0	16:23	5.1	.....	
27 ..	.....		7:40	7.8	17:13	5.3	.....	
28 ..	5:18	7.5	8:27	7.0	10:14	7.3	18:41	5.3
29 ..	1:15	7.3	2:54	2.3	11:48	7.7	18:48	5.5
30 ..	1:55	7.7	7:34	6.3	12:58	7.7	14:34	5.3
31 ..	2:03	8.0	8:03	4.6	14:03	7.3	23:16	5.5

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Equimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 16.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1923:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:36	5:57	17	6:53	6:30
2	6:33	5:58	18	6:50	6:31
3	6:31	5:59	19	6:48	6:33
4	6:43	6:01	20	6:46	6:34
5	6:47	6:03	21	6:44	6:35
6	6:45	6:05	22	6:42	6:37
7	6:45	6:07	23	6:40	6:38
8	6:41	6:08	24	6:38	6:39
9	6:39	6:11	25	6:36	6:42
10	6:37	6:13	26	6:34	6:34
11	6:35	6:14	27	6:32	6:33
12	6:33	6:15	28	6:30	6:36
13	6:31	6:16	29	6:28	6:37
14	6:26	6:17	30	5:27	6:38
15	6:27	6:18	31	5:26	6:39
16	6:25	6:19			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

STOWAWAYS AT LARGE

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Efforts to locate the six Japanese stowaways who escaped from the Immigration Detention Hall early yesterday morning have so far failed. An investigation yesterday found no blame was attached to anyone for the escape. All guards had been at their posts and every precaution had been taken to prevent any attempt at escape, it was stated by Chief Immigration Inspector Arthur L. Jolliffe.

EGYPT MARU PASSES

The Japanese steamer Egypt Maru, which has been loading at Port Alberni, passed up to Vancouver yesterday morning after calling at quarantine. The vessel, by arrangement with the quarantine authorities, made Alberni her first port of call from Japan, and on proceeding to Vancouver stopped at the station to receive official practique.

McKINLEY SAILING

The President McKinley, Capt. A. Lustie, of the Admiral Oriental Line, will sail for the Orient Saturday afternoon. She is taking out 75 cabin and 200 steerage passengers. The vessel is due from Seattle about 4 p.m.

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VESSEL WAS FORTY MILES OFF COURSE

TUSCAN PRINCE INQUIRY OPENS AT VANCOUVER

Master Believed His Ship to Be Off Umatilla Lightship—Strong Current Carried Her On

VANCOUVER, March 1.—The Furness liner Tuscan Prince was reckoning by the log on the occasion of her going aground in Barkley Sound, according to Captain Joseph Chilvers, master of the stranded vessel, in evidence before Captain J. D. Macpherson's wreck inquiry at the courthouse today. Reckoning by the log the master believed his ship was directly off the Umatilla Lightship, but evidently carried along by the current she had overrun her course by forty miles, he said.

Evidence was taken from Captain Chilvers, First Officer R. H. Taylor, Second Officer H. J. Binnell, Third Officer David Mackenzie, Chief Engineer Wm. Nichol, and Third Engineer R. L. B. Thompson. The boatswain, carpenter, three seamen and a fireman were also detained at the Coast to give evidence, Captain Chilvers stated, and these will be heard Friday.

VANCOUVER, March 1.—When the Furness Line steamer Tuscan Prince, of 9,250 tons, crashed on a reef off Village Island at 3:25 a.m. on February 15, Captain Joseph Chilvers, master of the vessel, was on the bridge with the officer of the watch and was listening at the microphone for Umatilla light submarine bell. Every possible precaution had been taken by him and his officers, the captain told the wreck commissioner and nautical assessors inquiring into the disaster. This statement was corroborated by Chief Officer Robert Henry Taylor, himself holder of a master's certificate. The cause of the wreck, Captain Chilvers believed, was the exceptionally strong set of the current, which not only brought his vessel to grief, but threw the steamship Santa Rita on to the rocks near Carmanah.

Trials Amaze

The terrible experiences of captain and crew of the Tuscan Prince after she struck were told by Captain Chilvers in a few disjointed sentences, and the full story of pluck and fortitude of the shipwrecked mariners was but glimpsed by Commissioner Macpherson and Captains Harry Mowatt and William Wright, assessors. Of such eloquence were the simple answers to the questions of Captain Macpherson, that the commissioner and his aides, experienced navigators themselves, gazed in astonishment at the witness.

"Now, Captain Chilvers, tell us what happened when you struck," said Wreck Commissioner Capt. J. D. Macpherson.

"Well, sir, I was on the bridge, sir," explained the master of the wrecked freighter. "I was listening at the microphone, with which we were fitted, for the submarine bell at Umatilla. I believed that Umatilla light was about 18 miles to the north, according to dead reckoning. It was at 3:25 a.m. on February 15. We were keeping our course and were running dead slow as we had been since midnight. She struck a reef, sir, and the seas carried her right over the reef."

"But could you not see anything?" asked the commissioner.

Capt. Chilvers—No sir. It had been snowing heavy, sir, since twelve o'clock, and it was blowing a gale. The seas were very heavy. It was so thick that we could not see the forerigging from the bridge.

Assessor Captain Mowatt—Did you have a lookout?

Capt. Chilvers—Yes, sir. There was a man right up in the bow.

After She Struck

The story of what happened after the steamer struck was then obtained by a series of questions, as follows:

When the crash came the dynamo failed and the lights went out. Within five minutes the ship, which following seas carried over the first reef, was filled with water and mountainous waves swept over her shuddering frame.

Within 20 minutes the charthouse had been pounded to pieces and cleared of all books, but the battered and sea-warped deck log was later recovered and tendered as an exhibit.

The men shuddered against the iron frame of the chart house, which remained standing, and set off flares.

By the glare of the colored lights could be made out, through the snow, the waves breaking on the rocky shores of an island. One of the crew volunteered to swim ashore with a line, and was lowered into the icy maelstrom. Again and again he attempted to make headway and gain the shore, but the undertow of receding waves fought him back, until, finally, he had to be pulled back by the line on which all had pinned their faith.

One boat remained unsmashed by the giant seas that pounded the wreck, and two men volunteered to make an attempt to reach shore with this. Lines were fastened about the men, and the boat was dropped. As a wave washed it ashore, one of the men sprang out, clutching the jagged rim of a rock, he pulled himself forward and stumbled up the steep, slippery, boulder-bound shore line, beating the big comber that reached after him. He had reached land and safety.

To the thin line that the sailor had carried ashore was attached a heavier rope, and finally a new 1½-inch cable.

FINNISH GOVERNMENT PLANS DEBT AGREEMENT

Minister Makes Appointment With U. S. Secretary to Begin Preliminary Conversations

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The Minister of Finland, Dr. Axel Leonard Astrom, today made an appointment with Secretary Mellon for tomorrow to begin preliminary conversations on the refunding of the Finnish Government's debt to the United States, amounting to $8,281,926 in principal and about $1,150,000 in accrued and unpaid interest.

SOOKE WOMAN FOUND WITH MISSING BOAT

Mrs. Margaret Halliday and Claude Butcher, Missing Two Years With Launch Wanderlust, Located

SEATTLE, March 1.—Mysteriously missing since she vanished from Vancouver nearly two years ago, the British gasboat Wanderlust, for which a search of the Pacific Coast from Alaska to Mexico has been conducted by American and Canadian authorities, yesterday was found moored in a quiet nook in the Snohomish River, eight miles above Everett, by Boatswain L. A. Lonsdale and crew of the coastguard cutter Arcata.

Claude Butcher, 27 years old, and Mrs. Margaret Halliday, 35, who were found aboard the Wanderlust, were arrested and turned over to the immigration authorities in Seattle. The Wanderlust is held at the harbormaster's dock, Ballard, by the customs for non-payment of duty.

Widespread interest in shipping circles was aroused when the Wanderlust dropped from sight, and it was generally believed that the craft had been lost at sea.

The Wanderlust is 35 feet in length, with a beam of six feet, and was well known in this section for many years.

Mr. S. N. Reid, comptroller of immigration at Victoria, said last night that he expected Butcher and Mrs. Halliday, for whom his department had been searching for the past two years, would be deported to Vancouver. Mrs. Halliday resided at Sooke prior to her disappearance with Butcher.

LEAVES CHEMAINUS

CHEMAINUS, March 1.—The four-masted American schooner Alert, which has been loading here for some weeks, cleared for the Fiji Islands Sunday. The tug Sea Monarch took her out to sea. She planned to stop at Port Angeles to pick up a crew. Capt. McDonald, master of the Alert, is owner of the vessel also.

U.S. CENSUS SHOWS FOUR MILLION GAIN

Preliminary Estimate of Population of America Places Figure at Hundred and Ten Million

NEW YORK, March 1.—The population of the continental United States on January 1, 1923, was approximately 110,100,000, according to a preliminary estimate made by the National Bureau of Economic Research, of this city, and given out today. This shows an estimated gain of 4,500,000 since the date of the last government census.

These figures are necessarily preliminary, says the bureau, for the final census figures on births and deaths are incomplete after the end of 1920. However, enough data is available to show that since January 1, 1921, the rate of increase in population growth has been accelerated noticeably, the present rate approaching that of pre-war years.

Death Rate Lower

This more rapid gain in population, according to the bureau, has been brought about partly by increase in net migration, but has been decidely reinforced by a reduction in the death rate. At the present rate of growth, the population at the 1930 census will reach 120,000,000.

The estimates by half years are as follows:

Year	Date	Population
1920—	January 1	a105,710,620
	July 1	b106,381,000
1921—	January 1	b106,821,000
	July 1	c107,785,000
1922—	January 1	c108,533,000
	July 1	c109,184,000
1923—	January 1	c110,100,000

a—Census figures.
b—Final estimate by this bureau.
c—Preliminary estimate.

It is probable that the revisions to be made in all estimates, except that for January 1, 1923, will be relatively slight, but this figure may be changed materially when fuller data on births, deaths and immigration are received.

Anyox Blister Copper To Go Direct to Tacoma

VANCOUVER, B.C., March 1.—Blister copper from the Anyox Smelter, which in the past has been shipped to Laurel Hill, Long Island, will in future be sent direct to Tacoma for refining, it was announced today at the Vancouver offices of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Company.

The new arrangement means a substantial saving in insurance, transportation and other charges to the Granby Company, it is stated.

From now on the ships Griffco, Amur, Anyox, Marmion and the fleet of barges operated by the Coastwise Steamship Company, a Granby subsidiary, will carry the ore direct to Tacoma.

REWARDS LONG SERVICE

VANCOUVER, March 1—Long and faithful service to the citizens and the Postoffice Department has been recognized by King George, who has sanctioned the awarding of the Imperial Service Medal to three pioneer postmen of the city, Mr. Abiathar Malpass, Mr. George Phillip Carr and Mr. M. E. Bolton.

Mr. Malpass joined the department at Victoria, May 16, 1892, as a letter carrier. He was transferred to Vancouver September 1, 1910, in the same capacity, being superannuated July 1, 1921, when the other veterans were also retired on pension. Mr. Carr and Mr. Bolton were two of the first four postmen appointed by Vancouver's first postmaster, Mr. Jonathan Miller, on February 1, 1895.

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3:08	8:08	Hutchinson Cove	11:36	6:41
3:23	8:25	Rocky Point	11:23	6:28
3:24	8:24	Metchosin	11:13	6:18
3:38	8:38	Highway Crossing	11:09	6:11
3:40	8:40	Happy Valley	11:06	6:08
3:45	8:45	Glen Lake	11:03	6:05
3:50	8:50	Colwood Village	10:57	5:59
3:52	8:52	Colwood Hotel	10:55	5:58
3:57	8:57	Parson's Bridge	10:49	5:49
4:02	9:03	Blackwood	10:42	5:44
4:05	9:05	Burnside Road	10:40	5:42
4:09	9:09	Junction	10:36	5:38
4:11	9:11	Alpha Street	10:34	5:35
4:15	9:15	Victoria	10:30	5:30
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TO PUNISH AUTHORS OF GREEK EXECUTIONS

Former Greek Minister to America Seeks Control of Government to Achieve Result

ATHENS, March 1.—Lambros Coromilas, former Greek Minister to the United States, has announced his intention of forming a new political party with a view to assuming the control of the Government and punishing those whom he believed responsible for the execution of the former cabinet members and army officers. General Hadjanestis, one of those executed, was a brother of Coromilas. The brothers took different names for family considerations.

Coromilas' most formidable opponent at the elections will be General Metaxas, the faithful friend of the late King Constantine.

Six Believed Killed in Explosion on Destroyer

MANILA, March 1.—Six persons are reported to have been killed in an explosion on the destroyer Hulbert.

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Among the most notable of these Blouses are those made of Caravan Silks, in over-blouse style, and in many beautiful shades.

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—Blouses, 1st Floor

All the New Modes for Spring May Be Seen in Our Display of

New Millinery

Our First Display of New Spring Millinery continues today and tomorrow, and will prove most interesting to Victoria women and misses. No expense or trouble has been spared in making this Full Millinery Display one of the best in our history.

All the best shapes and garnitures that the designers of Europe and America have given to the world this season will be on display, including new colorings that are pleasing in the extreme.

The models are too many for individual description, but we can assure you that all shapes are represented, and the price range makes it possible for all to purchase the hat that will be most becoming to their particular type of beauty.

All are invited to view this far-reaching display today and tomorrow.

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Grey Suede Oxfords and Pumps New Styles for Spring Just Arrived

The Shoes are remarkably neat in every respect and will, without a doubt, be greatly in demand this Spring.

An All-Grey Suede Tongue Pump, with medium round toe and covered Louis heel. A dainty shoe and excellent value at **$10.00**

All-Grey Suede Walking Oxfords, with covered low heels and welted soles; a shoe that will give comfort as well as being decidedly neat. Selling at, a pair **$10.00**

These are two of the newest and smartest yet shown for Spring.

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Misses' and Children's Underskirts for $1.00

Misses' Underskirts, made of black sateen, with a floral flounce, lengths 26, 28 and 30 inches. Each **$1.00**

Colored Sateen Underskirts, with scallop frill and hemstitched; rose, green, navy, saxe, purple; lengths, 26, 28 and 30 ..... **$1.00**

—Children's, 1st Floor

News From the Dress Goods Dept.

56-Inch Donegal Tweeds, a strong, heavy tweed and most suitable for skirts and suits. Gives everlasting wear. At, a yard **$1.98**

42-Inch Navy Serge, of excellent weight and will make up economically for children's wear, including dresses. A most serviceable material at a low price. A yard ..... **98¢**

40-Inch Floral Linings, presenting new designs and colorings. Suitable for coat linings, and will wear well. At, yard, **$1.00**

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—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Bon-Ton Medallion Corsets
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Phone for appointment, or call any time.

—Corset Dept., 1st Floor

Silks for Spring—Excellent Values

40-Inch Baronette Satin, a perfect silk of excellent appearance and easily laundered; white only. Special at, a yard **$3.25**

36-Inch Shot Taffeta, of firm weave and suitable for dresses, millinery, etc. Shown in rich shades of mauve, rose, green and gold. Selling at, a yard **$2.95**

40-Inch Satin Ratine, a bright satin of heavy weight and one that makes up well in separate skirts; black, strawberry and white. At, a yard **$4.50**

—Silks, Main Floor

Women's Springtime Hosiery

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, made with back seam and lisle tops with wide garter hems. They have spliced lisle heels and toes and in black, brown, white, navy, sand and camel. At, a pair ..... **69¢**

Women's Light Weight Lisle Hose, of good quality; made with high spliced heels and strongly reinforced toes; black, white, brown, navy, nickel, polo and camel. Sizes 8, 9, 9½ and 10. Special at, a pair ..... **50¢**

Women's Pure Silk Hose, with ribbed lisle tops and seamless; all the wanted shades. At, a pair, **$2.00**

Women's Silk Hose with fancy fronts and dropstitch, reinforced with lisle at feet; black, brown, sand, camel, grey and white. At, a pair ..... **98¢**

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, with garter hem, reinforced heels and toes, and shown in black, white, brown, sand, medium grey, taupe, nickel, navy and sky **$1.50**

Women's Pure Silk Hose, with pointed heels and double hem garter top; black only. Sizes 8½ and 9. Pair **$1.50**

Women's Silk Hose with fancy embroidered silk clox, lisle tops with garter hems, back seam, reinforced toes and heels; black, white, brown, beige, seal brown and camel. At, a pair **$2.50**

Women's Out-Size Lisle Hose, medium weight and extra wide in leg, and with double spliced heels and toes; black only; sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Special at, a pair **$1.00**

—Women's Hosiery, Main Floor

Camel Hair SWEATERS

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For Spring wear these Camel Hair Sweaters will be greatly in demand, because of their smart appearance and the comfort they assure. The Sweaters are made in popular tuxedo style, with box pleat on pocket and wide belt with smoked pearl buckle. Shown in natural shades only, and excellent value at **$13.95**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Embroidery Edgings at Special Prices

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—Laces, Main Floor

Boys' Unionalls at a Suit $1.00

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—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

Tweed Pants for Men
Special at $3.50

Odd Tweed Pants, of serviceable cloth, in grey, brown, herringbones and stripes. They are shapely pants, well trimmed and with strong pockets. Sizes 30 to 42. Big value at, a pair **$3.50**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

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—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

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Lunch or School Cases of brown leatherette, with metal swing handles and 2 side catches. They are well lined, 12 inches long and special value at ..... **65¢**

Week-End Suit Cases, of brown leatherette on steel frame. They have metal corners, lock and side clasps and are lined with paper; 18 inches. At, each **$2.10**

Black Walrus Grain Imitation Leather Bags, with double handle, lock and side clasp; well lined bags, 18-inch. Special at **$6.50**

Black Walrus Grain Real Leather Club Bags, with double handle, lock and side clasps. They have neat lining of cotton and shown in size 16-inch. At **$6.50**
18-Inch size at **$7.25**
The same bag, but leather lined. Size 16-inch **$8.25**
Size 18-inch at **$9.00**

Black Walrus Grain Imitation Leather Club Bags, with lock and two side clasps. Size 16-inch for **$3.95**

London Made Solid Cowhide Leather Suit Cases, with or without side straps; light or dark brown. Priced according to quality at, each, $21.15 and **$41.75**

London Made Brief and Kit Bags of cowhide leather, with heavy locks and fittings of solid brass. All sizes. Priced at $8.75 to **$18.75**

These were purchased before the recent advance in prices and are wonderful value. See window display.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Children's Hosiery for Spring

Children's Three-Quarter Length Heather Hose, fine 1 and 1 rib with turn-down tops; brown, lovat and fawn. Sizes 6½ and 9½ ..... **89¢**

Children's Wide Ribbed Heather Hose, with seamless feet, double toes and heels. Sizes 8½ to 10 ..... **$1.25**

Children's 1 and 1 Ribbed Heather Mixture Hose, in shades of lovat, brown and camel. Sizes 6½ to 9½ **$1.25**

Children's Three-Quarter Length Silk Socks, in white, brown, sky, buttercup, mauve and pink **$1.00**

Children's Silk Half Hose, all shades; sizes 4 to 8½. Special at, a pair ..... **75¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Absorbent Cotton

SPECIAL SALE

Hospital Quality English Absorbent and Antiseptic Cotton Wool, interleaved with tissue paper, and usually sold at 75c. Per 1-lb. roll **55c**

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A Huge Purchase of English Absorbent Gauze or Cheese Cloth

To Clear at a Package - **25c**

English Absorbent Gauze or Cheese Cloth, conveniently folded and done up in 5-yard packages, offered at a price away below the regular. A 5-yard package at ..... **25¢**

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36-Inch Radium All-Over Lace On Sale at a Yard, $2.95

New Black Radium Lace, very superior quality and 36 inches wide. A great bargain at, a yard **$2.95**

Radium Laces in a bright lustre finish. At, a yard, $3.95 and **$4.25**

And French Radium, at a yard **$6.35**

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Axminster Hearthrugs at Special Prices

Axminster Hearthrugs of deep, rich pile and excellent designs; will give long wear and are handsome.

Size 27 x 54 inches **$4.85**
36 x 63 Inches **$7.95**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor